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Pantages—Yvonne of the Guard.
Columbia—The Chorus Girl's Romance.
Variety—The Law of the Yukon.
Romano—The World to Live In.

SINN FEIN ACTS OF VIOLENCE IN ENGLAND

B. C. Has Surplus For 1920; Civic Aid Now Certain

Finances Re-established, Says Finance Minister, Province Can Now Go Ahead With Constructive Policy; Financial Statement For Fiscal Year Completed.

British Columbia for the last year has had a surplus of revenue over expenditure, according to the financial statement completed and made public to-day by the Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, when the books closed.

The statement shows a total revenue for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1920, of \$13,861,602.75. Expenditure for the same period was \$13,511,123.04.

This leaves the Province with a net surplus for the year of \$350,479.71, after meeting all expenditure, capital and current, and interest on the Pacific Great Eastern.

Of the total expenditure, \$1,482,589 has gone to meet the year's charges on the public debt of the Province, \$2,227,374 for education, and \$2,224,344 for public works.

Minister Much Cheered.
Hon. Mr. Hart was much encouraged when the Government accountants presented him with the financial statement for the year.

"It shows that we have been able to carry out our policy of bringing current expenditure within revenue," Hon. Mr. Hart said to-day.

Plan Constructive Policy.
"Now that we have got the Province back on a sound financial basis where we are meeting our expenses and not any longer running into debt, we will be able to focus our attention on a broad, constructive financial policy. This is what we have been aiming at as soon as the finances of the Province were on a sound basis."

To Take Up City Aid Now.
"This will now enable us to take up the question of relief for municipalities. We shall now be in a position to look the municipal situation in the face, to deal with the whole question on its merits and consider what can be done in addition to the cash contribution the Government now makes and the share of the profits from Government liquor sale which the municipalities have been promised."

Believes Solution Easy.
"British Columbia, at the present time cannot afford to have this municipal aid issue made a political football."
"With the credit of the Province re-established I feel confident that there can now quite easily be found a solution of the problem between the municipalities and the Province."

Revenue Greatly Increased.
Only the totals were made public to-day, as the voluminous details of the statement will have to be printed before being given out. These details are always reserved for the Legislature for release.
Estimates for last year, however, show that a revenue of only \$10,299,969 was expected. This now proves to be more than \$3,500,000 short of the actual revenue.

The estimated expenditure of \$12,214,883 was exceeded by nearly \$200,000. The actual expenditure on education alone exceeded the estimate by nearly \$400,000, which has been partly offset by a reduction of about \$350,000 in the Provincial Secretary's Department.

Public works expenditure exceeded the estimated expenditure of \$2,092,874 by about \$132,000.

BELL IS HONORED.

Edinburgh, Nov. 28.—The freedom of the city was conferred to-day upon Alexander Graham Bell, inventor of the telephone, who is a native of Edinburgh.

Open Trading in Victory Bonds Is Now Announced

Toronto, Nov. 29.—(Canadian Press)—Trading in Victory Bonds henceforth will be open, and the Victory issue will be immediately listed for trading on the Canadian stock exchanges. This announcement was made by Sir Henry Drayton, Minister of Finance, while in Toronto on his way from Hamilton to continue the Tariff Commission hearings.

Sir Henry's statement was as follows:

"The control of Victory Bonds has ceased. The control which has been exercised by the stabilization committee of the Victory Loan was made in proper performance of the promise made during the different Victory Loan campaigns. The committee's work has been very efficient. Many subscriptions were made in the national interest by persons whose circumstances did not permit them to hold their bonds. The price of the bonds has not been subject to violent fluctuations, but stabilization of prices has been effective. The committee has sold bonds which have come on the market and placed them in the hands of permanent investors to the extent of \$270,000,000."

Opportunity.

"Stabilization has now closed for more than a year since the last loan and full opportunity therefore has been given those whose circum-

DOUGHTY WAS NOT ALLOWED BAIL

A Week's Remand Granted When He Appeared in Toronto Court

He Showed Police Where Victory Bonds Worth \$100,000 Were Concealed

Toronto, Nov. 28.—John Doughty, who was charged across the continent and recently arrested in Oregon City, Oregon, in connection with the mysterious disappearance a year ago of Ambrose J. Small, theatrical manager, to-day visited the home of his sister, Mrs. Lovatt, in this city and revealed there to police authorities the hiding place of \$100,000 worth of Canadian Victory Bonds which had been missing. These bonds were handed over to the police authorities intact. Recent reports said that it had been imagined that the bonds had been deposited with a trust company in Chicago.

In Police Court.

Later Doughty was brought into the police court and placed in the prisoner's dock.

Doughty stood up and bowed to the magistrate when the clerk called his name. The two charges, one of theft of the \$100,000 in Victory Bonds, and the other of conspiracy to kidnap Ambrose J. Small, were read. Doughty made no reply, but it was announced that his lawyers, F. Hellmuth, K.C., and Miss Clara Brett Martin, desired a week's remand.

The magistrate granted this without bail. Miss Martin intimated that the defendant would be prepared to furnish bail, but Crown Attorney Corley did not acquiesce and the magistrate sent Doughty back to the cells.

His Return To Toronto.

Toronto, Nov. 28.—John Doughty is back home in Toronto.

Eleven months ago he slipped quietly out of the city almost a month after the mysterious disappearance of this former employer, Ambrose J. Small, millionaire theatre owner.

This morning he returned a prisoner, held on two charges—one of the theft of Victory Bonds to the amount of \$100,000 and one of conspiracy to kidnap A. J. Small.

Crowd There.

It was a rather spectacular homecoming. He arrived in the custody of Detective Mitchell and Inspector William Wallace on the 8.30 train from Windsor, and a crowd of 100 curious sightseers.

Following a conference with police officials, Doughty, accompanied by detectives, left the City Hall for the home of Mrs. Lovatt, his sister, where he met his boys for the first time since last December.

WHERE TO VOTE

The polling stations for the election on Wednesday will be identified by placards used for the recent liquor plebiscite. A separate booth at each polling station will be provided for the taking of absentee votes. This is a departure from the practice followed in the plebiscite, when the presiding officer of the various booths under the presiding officer took the absentee ballots.

The locations and the presiding officers at each polling station on Wednesday will be as follows:

Division One (Ward One)—St. Francis Hotel, 525 Yates Street, James Bell.

Division Two (Ward Two)—Scott Building, corner of Douglas Street and Hillside Avenue, P. R. Carlow.

Division Three (Ward Three)—Lillies' Garage, 532 Johnson Street, E. G. Youngs.

Division Four (Ward Four)—Bell Block, corner of Cook and Mearns Streets, P. S. Jones.

Division Five (Ward Five)—Empress Garage, 617 Government Street, A. W. Staples.

NO DEMONSTRATIONS.

Buenos Ayres, Nov. 28.—The Socialist party of Buenos Ayres has resolved to take no part in patriotic demonstrations.

MR. HART REPLIES TO CITY'S DEMAND FOR MORE REVENUE

In answer to a request from the City Council, Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, this morning forwarded to the City Hall a letter stating his attitude regarding the city's demands for further financial aid from the Provincial Government. Mr. Hart states his position as follows:

"I am in favor of a full and frank discussion of 'aid to municipalities' between the Government and representatives of the municipalities immediately after the election. As far as I am personally concerned I think I shall be in a position to make suggestions for the improvement of municipal government generally."

HUNGER STRIKER IN SEOUL PRISON DIED; WAS KOREAN

Tokyo, Nov. 28.—The first hunger strike in the Orient on record, that of a prisoner incarcerated in connection with the Korean independence movement, ended fatally to-day when the prisoner died in the Seoul jail. He had fasted thirteen days.

Loose Bowser Statements Are Checked by Records

Wild statements made by Mr. Bowser at his meetings here Saturday night about the Land Settlement Board and its dealings, were refuted to-day by the Hon. E. D. Barrow, Minister of Agriculture.

"Mr. Bowser made the statement Saturday in Victoria that the Conservative Government in 1916 borrowed \$1,000,000 at an interest rate of 5.62 per cent, and that instead of paying that interest in New York, as this Government is doing, it was payable in Victoria," said Hon. Mr. Barrow.

TIME TABLE OF POLITICAL EVENTS

Monday, Nov. 29.—City Conservatives at Princess Theatre.
Saanich Liberals at St. Columba Church, Oak Bay.
Saanich Conservatives at Saanich.
Saanich Soldier-Labor-Farmer at Strawberry Vale Hall.
Equimait Liberals at Sooke.
Equimait Conservatives at Colwood.

Equimait Soldier-Labor-Farmer at Sailors' Club.
Dr. Ernest Hall, Independent, Crystal Theatre.
Tuesday, Nov. 30.—City Liberals at Royal Theatre.
City Soldier-Labor-Farmer at Princess Theatre.
Saanich Conservatives at St. Luke's Hall.
Equimait Liberals at Langford.
Equimait Soldier-Labor-Farmer at Shawnigan.
Equimait Conservatives at Esquimalt.
Federated Labor Party, Crystal Theatre.

Mountain Air Lanes.

Helena, Mont., Nov. 29.—Air lanes over the main range of the Rocky Mountains west of Helena, will be determined by the local weather bureau station to further air navigation.

YUKON POPULATION ON THE DECREASE

Seattle, Nov. 28.—Dwindling population will be shown in the next census returns for the Yukon Territory, according to J. A. M. H. Maltby, territorial secretary and treasurer, who is visiting at the home of his uncle here.

I recently made an estimate of population in the Yukon Territory for the Dominion census, and figured it at 5,000 whites," said Mr. Maltby.

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Hon. John Oliver
Premier

Hon. John Hart
Minister of Finance

ROYAL VICTORIA THEATRE

To-morrow (Tuesday), Nov. 30, at 8 p.m.

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AMERICAN GUNMEN HAVE BEEN SEEN IN LONDONDERRY

London, Nov. 29.—Gunmen from the United States are said to have made their appearance in Londonderry, Ireland, according to advice received here to-day. The presence of these mercenaries in Dublin and other Irish cities had been previously reported.

The military authorities of Londonderry are taking all precautions in the event of attempted assassinations.

THUGS IN LONDON WERE FRUSTRATED

Constable Prevented Them Setting Fire to Lumber Yard; One Arrested

Attempt Was Being Made About Same Time as Liverpool Outbreak

London, Nov. 29.—Half a dozen men who were preparing to set fire to a large lumber yard in the district of Finsbury, an important section of the city of London less than a mile north of London Bridge, were surprised by a policeman Saturday night. This attempt was almost coincident with the breaking out of incendiary fires in Liverpool.

The policeman challenged a man who immediately attacked the officer and shouted for help. Five men with revolvers answered his call, emerging from behind some empty wagons and rushing the policeman, who was compelled to flee the man he had seized. All the men escaped.

Found Waste.

Searching the wagons, the policeman found cotton waste soaked with gasoline which had been pushed through a gateway of a lumber yard, and he also discovered two revolvers and 100 cartridges.

One of the gang was later arrested.

TWO EARTHQUAKES ARE REPORTED

Shock of Yesterday Morning Was Recorded Here; Tremor in Southern Washington

Reports from all observatories possessing seismographic instruments on the Pacific Coast unite in recording the severe earthquake which affected Southern Washington and Northern Oregon early yesterday morning.

The Victoria Observatory, Gonzales Hill, secured a satisfactory record. The first record being at 3.21 a. m., and the shock lasting 20 minutes. Superintendent Denison places the distance at 160 miles south.

The following reports have been received from various observatories:

Seattle, Nov. 29.—An earthquake beginning at 3.26 Sunday morning and continuing intermittently for ten minutes was recorded, on the seismograph at Gonzales University and Dean Henry Landes expressed the opinion that the centre of the disturbance was about 200 miles from Seattle. The tremors were the most violent recorded by the instrument since it was installed at the time of the San Francisco earthquake. The shock was distinctly felt throughout Seattle and its vicinity, awakening light sleepers and causing dishes to rattle. Spokane, Portland and Tacoma felt the quake.

Spokane, Nov. 29.—An earthquake which rocked houses and awakened sleepers was experienced here at 3.30 o'clock Sunday morning. The seismograph at Gonzales University indicated the radius to be about 200 miles. So forceful was the quake that patients at the local hospital were awakened when the beds and picture frames were jarred.

Registered at Washington.

Washington, Nov. 29.—An earthquake of moderate intensity beginning at 6.43 a. m., and ending at 7.30 a. m., was registered by the United States Geological Survey seismograph. The area of the disturbance was about 2,000 miles from Washington.

Another Shock.

Seattle, Nov. 29.—An earthquake believed to have centred 200 miles north of Seattle in Northern British Columbia or on the Alaskan coast, was reported on the seismograph of the University of Washington here beginning at 12.40 this morning and continuing until 12.42. The shock, which was said to have been of moderate intensity, reached its maximum intensity between 12.16 and 12.21 a. m.

To-day's Tremor.

The earthquake reported from Chicago and Seattle as having taken place early this morning, is recorded on the instrument at Gonzales Observatory as commencing at 12.08 a. m. and continuing for 20 minutes. Mr. Denison places the distance 1,450 miles from Washington.

SAYS OPPOSITION DESPAIRS OF FIVE VANCOUVER SEATS

The following telegram was received at the Government campaign headquarters here this morning from the Government campaign manager in Vancouver:

"End of last week of campaign indicates Government landslide in Vancouver Island and the lower mainland. Conservatives concede five seats in Vancouver and city Liberals are confident of winning six by tremendous majority."

Sinn Feiners Set Fire to Liverpool Cotton Warehouses

Fifteen Dock Buildings Set Ablaze; Two Completely Destroyed; One Civilian Shot Dead; Police Say Gunmen From United States There.

London, Nov. 29.—St. Hon. Edward Shortt, the Home Secretary, declared in the House of Commons this afternoon in reply to questions regarding Saturday night's incendiary dock fires in Liverpool, that there seemed no doubt that the fires were the result of an organized conspiracy in which members of the Sinn Fei party were engaged.

Sixteen Police Cadets Killed in Southwest Ireland

Macroom, County Cork, Nov. 29.—Fifteen auxiliary police cadets were killed and one cadet mortally wounded as the result of an ambush by between 70 and 100 men near Kilmichael, southwest of here, last evening. Another of the cadets is missing.

The cadets, under district Inspector Craik, were patrolling in two lorries when they were ambushed.

Some shooting occurred after the outbreak of the flames. Constables on the scene were fired at and bullets passed through the clothing of some of them, but none was injured. One civilian was shot dead.

Five men were placed under arrest in connection with the incendiary outbreak.

Riots and Fires.

London, Nov. 29.—A dispatch to the Press Association from Liverpool says:

"An alarming outbreak of Sinn Fei violence occurred here shortly before 9 o'clock Saturday night. Riots broke out simultaneously both in the south and north ends of Liverpool and also in Bootle."

There were seven fires in Bootle and eleven in various parts of Liverpool.

A Plot.

"Subsequent discoveries revealed a well-planned Sinn Fei plot to spread a holocaust of fire among the warehouses in the dock area. The fires were spread over almost all of the seven miles of the dock area. Owing to the inflammable contents of the warehouses, the fire obtained a stronghold and by 1 o'clock in the morning the whole sky was lit up. The local fire brigades were unable to cope with the situation and were obliged to call brigades from other sources. The police commanded all telephone wires and took all steps to prevent fire outbreaks by concentrating policemen along the line of docks."

Youth Killed.

Three persons watching the suspicious movements of two young men at cotton warehouses in Parliament Street warned the police, who pursued them. The young men bolted and fled upon the police. The police were not hurt, but a bullet pierced the heart of a youth Daniel Ward, who was among those who warned the police, and he fell dead.

"The fires in some instances were quickly quenched. Others, in stock warehouses, burned fiercely. One in (Concluded on page 20.)

MAN IN VANCOUVER SHOT IN THE HEAD

Vancouver, Nov. 29.—Victim of a careless shotgun artist, Frank Myring, 233 Templeton Drive, is at present in a hospital here awaiting the removal of a shotgun pellet from his skull.

Mr. Myring, with his wife, was walking along the C. P. R. right-of-way near Wall Street on Sunday afternoon when a gun was discharged by someone, one of the shots striking Mr. Myring in the head.

Government Rallies to Draw Big Crowds

In anticipation of huge turnout of voters to hear Premier Oliver and the three other Government candidates in Victoria, arrangements for two big meetings to be held to-morrow night, the eve of the provincial election, were made to-day. Hon. Mr. Oliver, Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, H. C. Hall and J. B. Clearihue, M.C., it was announced this morning, will speak during the evening at the Royal Victoria Theatre and also at an overflow meeting in the Empress Hotel ballroom.

The doors of the Royal Victoria Theatre will open at half past seven and it is expected that the building will be filled almost immediately. It is planned to commence the meeting as soon as all seats have been occupied. Hon. Walter Scott, former Premier of Saskatchewan, will preside and his remarks will be followed by speeches from G. G. McGeer, late M.P.P. for Richmond, and the Government candidates in Victoria. Unless the present arrangements are altered Mr. Oliver will not speak later in the evening, after delivering an address at the hotel.

An excellent musical programme will add much to the theatre meeting. Mrs. S. M. Morton, the contralto soloist of the Metropolitan Methodist Church, Mrs. Archie With and Mrs. Charles E. Wilson, both of whom are well and favorably known in the local musical world, will sing. The full Royal Victoria orchestra will render selections during the evening.

Platform invitations have been sent out to two hundred people, so that the stage, it is expected, will be crowded.

William Ivel, President of the Victoria Liberal Association, will preside at the hotel overflow meeting. A musical programme also is being arranged for this gathering. Premier Oliver, Mr. Hart and one of two of the local candidates will speak.

The meeting which supporters of H. C. Heigenson, Government candidate in Esquimalt, planned to hold in the Sailors' Home to-morrow, will be held in Langford Hall, Langford, it was announced to-day. It has been found impossible to use the Sailors' Home as that institution is to be utilized as a polling booth on Wednesday, and necessary preparations will be under way on the preceding evening.

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Imperial Oil Company Denies It Has Kept Find a Secret

Calgary, Nov. 29.—Officials of the Imperial Oil Company have denied a dispatch from Montreal quoting R. A. Brooks as stating that the company was keeping secret a strike of oil at Great Slave Lake. "Our well at that point is down only 300 feet," said one of the officials.

WESTERN COAL FOR ONTARIO

Toronto, Nov. 29.—The utilization of western coal in Ontario was the subject of a timely address delivered by James McEvoy, a well-known mining engineer and geologist, before the Mining and Metallurgical Club of the University of Toronto.

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CRIMINAL CHARGES

MAY BE BROUGHT

No Doubt About Civil Proceedings Following Ontario Timber Inquiry

Toronto, Nov. 29.—Not only will there be civil proceedings taken on behalf of the Ontario Government to recover from some of the companies having timber concessions in Northern Ontario, large sums of money claimed to be owing the province, but criminal proceedings also may be taken. Mr. Justice Riddell intimated this at a sitting of the commission of inquiry here on Saturday when he remarked that "apparently reputable men have placed themselves in the clutches of the criminal law. No hint was given as to whom the commissioner referred to."

EXCHANGE EFFECTS

MERGER SCHEME

Toronto Globe Says Empire Steel Corporation Has Hit Snag

Toronto, Nov. 29.—With reference to the British Empire Steel Corporation, the \$500,000,000 merger organized early this year, the financial editor of The Globe says that "there is reason to believe the whole matter is undergoing much consideration on the part of those interested; in fact, it would not be surprising if the arrangements made during the summer with the various companies would be subject to a complete revision before anything final is adopted."

The Globe claims that the exchange situation has made the financing of the original scheme "impracticable without the assumption of a loss by the Canadian companies which would be larger than they were ready to discuss."

C.P.R. PRESIDENT

VISITS WINNIPEG

Says Construction of Pier at Vancouver Will Be Proceeded With

Winnipeg, Nov. 29.—(Canadian Press)—The inquiry into the freight and passenger rates which will be launched soon by the Board of Railway Commissioners is satisfactory to the Canadian Pacific Railway, according to E. W. Beatty, president, who reached Winnipeg last night. "The inquiry ordered by the Railway Commission will no doubt be exhaustive," said Mr. Beatty, "and I hope that in both the interests of the people and the railway, the inquiry will fix the relative levels of the rates between the East and West in a manner satisfactory. Further, I hope that in both the interests of the people and the railway, the inquiry will fix the relative levels of the rates between the East and West in a manner satisfactory. Further, I hope that in both the interests of the people and the railway, the inquiry will fix the relative levels of the rates between the East and West in a manner satisfactory."

There were no new improvements in mind for the district around Winnipeg, said the president, and he could make no announcement at present about plans for the territory beyond that a new pier would be erected at Vancouver. Provision for this work would be made in the 1921 estimates, and the type of pier to be built would be decided on early in the new year. Construction would be proceeded with early, and the work probably would be completed within eighteen months.

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NO FLAG PROTEST

TO UNITED STATES

British Ambassador Will Not Protest Following "Irish Republic" Mob's Attack

Washington, Nov. 29.—(Canadian Press)—Sir Auckland Geddes, British Ambassador to the United States, states the Embassy here will not protest to the United States State Department on the Union Club incident in New York last Thursday, when a mob of 5,000 "Irish Republic" sympathizers attacked and partially wrecked the club building because a British flag was displayed from one of its windows.

New York, Nov. 29.—(Canadian Press)—The congress of Women's Societies, composed of representative women in every state, has addressed an open letter to Mayor Hylan protesting against the anti-British demonstration here last Thursday. The letter is signed by Mrs. Thomas J. Vivian, acting for the board of directors.

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TWO HAULED UP CLIFF BY RESCUERS

Islands Returning Officer and
Another Man Had Adventure in Launch

G. P. Heine Key, Returning Officer for the Islands in the provincial election, and Mr. Drummond, who was operating the launch in which the two were, had an exciting experience which ended in the two being rescued from the launch and hauled to safety up a rope to the top of a cliff fifty feet in height.

It was at 2 p.m. last Friday that the launch, with the two men aboard, left the South Pender wharf to return to Fulford Harbor on the south end of Salt Spring Island. After leaving South Pender it was caught in the current and gale and ended a head wind to the south and back of Moresby Island, when the gale suddenly increased the propeller shaft

broke, leaving the launch helpless. In a few minutes the launch was drifting towards Pender Island, about four miles away. When it was about half way across the passage a large fishing trawler passed but did not answer the signals of distress from the launch.

About 3:30 p.m. T. Allen, while walking along the cliff near his home, saw a launch evidently in distress. Running to Mr. Adams' farm, about three-quarters of a mile off, he asked for help and a rope. Messrs. Auchterlonie, Liberto, Adams and Harrap went down to the cliff and there saw the launch about fifty yards off and drifting in. They signalled from the cliff and a man appeared on the after deck and stood watching. As the launch came nearer the man on the cliff shouted to those on board to throw the anchor overboard. The launch then drifted along the cliff and was blown against the cliff. It was feared she would go to pieces but the back wash carried her out and she drifted along the cliff towards Boat Harbor.

Rowboat Swamped.
Auchterlonie, Adams and Allan went to launch a rowboat but found that they could not, as the waves swamped it immediately it was put in the water. Meanwhile Liberto and Harrap, followed the launch along the cliff, decided to try and get a rope to the boat. The others, returning just then, found the boat almost immediately under an outlying ledge and a light rope was with great difficulty cast aboard. The little line was deemed too light, so a heavier one was fastened to it aboard the launch, but it was found it was twenty feet too short. On this discovery the launch was pulled in towards some rocks at the base of the cliff and the two men aboard leaped from the boat to the rock. The launch was then cut loose and the men were hauled up a fifty-foot cliff to safety.

When last seen the launch was drifting along the cliff and it was hoped she would be washed away from the cliff and be picked up later. "Mummy, I'm goin' to give Auntie Maud my spade and pail." "Whatever for, Willie?" "So that she can kick it." "Kick it?" "Yes, Daddy said we should have a lot of money if only Auntie would kick the bucket!"—Edinburgh Scotsman.

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SCORES OPPOSITION AND LIBERALS ALIKE

Candidates Claim Soldier-Farmer-Labor Party Will Be Invulnerable

A meeting of the Soldier-Farmer-Labor Party was held on Saturday evening last in the Board room of the Belmont Block, about one hundred people attending. Not all four candidates were present. Thomas Dooley, C. K. Christian and James Dakers speaking, but R. P. McLernan, was unable to attend, and E. S. Keeling of the G.A.U.V., spoke on his behalf. A good deal of the time of the meeting was given over to answering the questions but to the several candidates in a letter to the press over the name of J. E. Williams, who was roundly scored by the party.

Mr. Christian closed the address of the evening with a forceful speech in which he attacked both Liberals and Conservatives equally.

Full Efficient Service.

"Come away from this big corporation stuff, vote for the Soldier-Farmer-Labor aggregation that is going to give you 90 per cent. efficient service. We comprise three of the greatest elements of the Province, the soldier, the farmer, and the worker. We are a force that will be irresistible in the days to come. We are a force of what you are, we are your force, your mouthpiece," he said.

His opponents are using every subterfuge to get the returned soldier vote, why are they making such a fuss about the returned soldier now, why have they taken the pains to include a returned member on each of their platforms, it is, I tell you, because they realize that we have gathered and cemented together a force that is invulnerable.

"The two soldiers on the two opposing parties tell you a lot of balderdash about being tied up to their parties. How could it be otherwise, would they be likely to tell you that they were tied up with their parties and had to vote as they were told by their leaders?"

Canon a Pom Pom.

"Canon Hinchliffe tells you he wants a square deal for every man, woman and child in the Province, and a little bit more than a square deal for the returned man. The returned man does not want anything more than a square deal, and that is the largest shell that Canon Hinchliffe or any other canon, can fill. He will look like a pom pom to me," added Mr. Christian.

"This is the reconstruction period, they tell you, the time when the whole world is being changed. Mr. Bowser was prophetic when he stated recently, 'People changed during the war, the old ideas of parties have changed, we have to be more wary and watchful than we have, they have to be more wary.'"

Corporation First.
"When Bowser says 'people' he means you, not himself. He is Bowser, and his principles do not change. His viewpoint is the big interest, and that of the corporation first, last and all time. Come away from this big corporation stuff, it is time you had someone to represent you over the bay, not someone to represent the big interests. The next of government is over the bay, not in Vancouver, where I believe the party machines are run from. You are entitled to representation, and in the Big Four you will get it," concluded Mr. Christian, amid considerable applause.

"Blanket Victoria."
"An effort is being made by the party machine, controlled, I believe, from the big interests in Vancouver, to blanket Victoria, and to do it commercially," stated Mr. Dakers. "You will notice the heads of government departments are in Vancouver when you want them, and recently the Premier, Mr. Ferris, went to Vancouver for a cabinet meeting, and took the government seals with him. Can you beat that?"

"The Conservative pamphlet deals with the misrule of the Oliver government, and promises to restore the credit of the province to that of 1916, when, as Premier Oliver tells you the country was bankrupt. Can you beat that?"

"The country needs a change of government. There are laws on the statute books over the bay that would astonish you. In the Infants' Act—revised to 1920 section 21, 'an apprentice shall not absent himself from the person of his master, either day or night, without his consent, and the penalty for that is imprisonment.'"

Some people get a nasty cough and don't pay much attention to it, saying, "Oh, it will wear away in a short time," but while it may wear off, serious injury may have been done to the lungs and respiratory organs by the prolonged, harsh, racking coughing.

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"It says further that the apprentices shall make up such time as lost to his master by reason of such imprisonment for the offence under this section. That Act was there with the full knowledge of the government, and because they wanted it there, and we have gone there hat in hand, time after time, to get redress without avail.

The Civil Servant.

"There are over 2,000 civil servants in Victoria alone," continued Mr. Dakers, "and many of them are getting a considerably lower scale of wages than other men in that class of work in the district, and below the minimum wage regulations often. Mr. Farris has seen fit to interpret the Minimum Wage Act to his own ends. He says that a carpenter is not an artisan. I have a letter on the files of the Trades and Labor Council in which he agrees to adjust the wages given in this act to a present day level, but nothing has been done since."

"The other parties are stealing whole planks from our platform every day. The Hon. John Hart stole our Provincial Bank scheme; now I suppose the Bowserites will steal our 'Europe' scheme. We want National Health and Unemployment Insurance—both now ripe for this province, and the conditions here to-day."

"A complete public works programme, giving permanent work for all, in the conservation of water areas, was one of the promises held out by the speakers at Saturday night's meeting. What is the result? By this Winter 17,000 men would be out of work in this Province, and that the Soldier-Farmer-Labor party would remedy that, giving all a 'full dinner pail' in twelve months."

Mr. Keeling, of the G. A. U. V., spoke on behalf of R. P. McLernan, who could not attend, and "was suffering from throat affection and acting on the advice of his specialist." Mr. Keeling stated that his candidate, S. Keeling, was a man of the world of mankind at heart. The Soldier-Farmer-Labor platform was the only one that was constructive, he stated, and that party "produced the goods, and because it produced the goods would show the Missourians where they got off at."

All candidates took a sharp backfire at Mr. Williams, who had written to the press as a 7th Battalion man. Mr. Keeling would ask Mr. Williams if he had the permission of Major Bullock Webster before he sent that letter to the press?

Councillor Tom Dooley told his audience that he had landed here from the Warspite in 1910, and had only consented to allow his name for candidature on the representations of a very important group of citizens. Mr. Dooley devoted a good deal of his time to his work on the Spanish Council, claiming that he had been responsible for the construction of the Spanish Health Service, and other works of good. Reading from Dr. Vee's report on the health of the children of that municipality, Mr. Dooley stated that one child in every three was defective through remedial ailments.

"Tweedledum and Tweedledee."
The Oliver party, while in opposition, voted for woman's suffrage, he claimed, which the McBride Government turned down. Now the Oliver Government, in power, vote against the eight-hour day, while the "other bunch" were in favor of it, and that was the way of it, said Mr. Dooley.

Mr. Coleman occupied the chair for the meeting, preserving order amid some heckling.

CONSERVATIVES OF
ONTARIO ARE TO
CHOOSE A LEADER

Toronto, Nov. 29.—Four names are mentioned prominently in connection with the Ontario Conservative Party, which is to be decided at a convention of the party held this week, and a fifth, that of H. P. Hill, M.P.P. for West Ottawa.

The four in question are G. H. Ferguson, M.P.P. for Grenville, who was Minister of Lands, Forests and Mines in the Hearst Government, and is at present temporary Conservative leader; Brig.-General Arthur E. Ross, M.D., M.P.P. for Kingston; W. F. Nickle, ex-M.P.P. for Kingston, and George S. Henry, M.P.P. for East York.

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Fine Quality All-Wool Black Cashmere Hose with widened garter tops; Morley's English make; regular \$2.75. To-morrow only, a pair, **\$2.25**

Penman's All-Wool Full Fashioned Cashmere Hose, black and white; all sizes; regular \$2.25 and \$2.50. To-morrow only, a pair, **\$1.90**

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300 Pairs of Penman's Black Cashmere Hose, all sizes; regular \$1.25. Pair, **\$1.00**

Out-Size Penman's Black Cashmere Stockings, fine quality; all sizes; regular \$2.50. To-morrow only at, pair, **\$1.90**

Extra Out-Size Penman's Full Fashioned Cashmere Hose, sizes 9 1/2 and 10; regular \$2.75. To-morrow, per pair, **\$2.25**

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This special underselling of dainty Georgette crepe and crepe de Chine blouses offers unusual values, and at the same time presents a splendid opportunity to select gift blouses at a moderate sum; smart styles, in shades of white, maize, pink, rose, etc.

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Children's Wool Ringwood Gloves in white, scarlet, brown and navy; sizes 1 to 6; splendid quality, and very special value. Tuesday at, per pair **45¢**



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You can take your time about selecting, and each one of our salespeople will be able to give you all the help and attention you desire. It's not a bit too early to begin, even if your gift list is small, and, besides, the sooner you begin shopping for remembrances, the sooner the whole problem will be off your mind. Displays are complete and prices are inviting.

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variety of wheat, "red devon," which already had been pronounced a winner by more than one expert. In all, Manitoba has ten exhibitors of wheat, a number of exhibitors of oats, barley, rye and flax.

Ontario.
Ontario has breeding shortborno on exhibition and many sheep, but for a wonder, no Clydesdale horses. The Graham brothers, of Claremont, Ont., have beautiful exhibitors for so many years, and it is both surprising and disappointing not to find them in their accustomed places. Ontario is quite heavily represented in the grain and hay show, having very considerable exhibits of flint corn, hard red, winter wheat, white winter wheat, eight or nine exhibitors of oats, and a number of exhibitors of rye, peas, hay and clover.

Quebec is represented by a fine exhibit of Clydesdale horses. Canada did not win the students

judging competition, the winners of the coveted trophy being the team from Purdue University, Indiana, with a score of 3,794 out of a possible 5,000.

The three Canadian colleges came together, Macdonald, eleven, with a score of 3,406; Saskatchewan, twelfth, with a score of 3,384, and Ontario, thirteenth, with a score of 3,349.

METHODISTS IN STATES

New York, Nov. 29.—Recent surveys shows that Methodism is making rapid strides and now numbers 38,000,000.

In America it stands as the greatest Protestant church, the Lutheran

having the largest enrolment and it outnumbers the Roman Catholic Church in preachers, churches, Sunday schools, pupils, but not in membership.

These statements are made by the Rev. J. T. B. Smith of the Council of Boards of Benevolence of the Methodist Episcopal Church, 161 Rush Street, Chicago. The difference is in the manner of reckoning. "We count only communicants," said Mr. Smith. "The Roman Catholic Church counts baptisms. If we counted adherents, three to each communicant, we would have in all Methodism 9,000,000 members and 600,000 adherents, a total of 10,000,000."

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TO SELL HOLLY TO HELP POOR

Rotary Club to Open Holly
Shop and Wants Holly
Contributions

To secure money for its Christmas Tree Fund, the Rotary Club will commence to sell holly this week in the store opposite the Post Office formerly occupied by the Windsor Grocery. Officials of the Club made the necessary arrangements to-day and it is expected that the holly sale will commence early in the week. The holly is to be sold locally and to fill large orders from the Prairies, and the proceeds will help to provide substantial relief for the poor of Victoria at Christmas time.

As the sale is to be purely of a charitable nature, the Rotarians hope that owners of holly trees—and there are hundreds of them here—will contribute holly, in order that no one will be put to any trouble. The Club has arranged to send P. Bennett, an expert gardener, to all gardens whose owners wish to give holly. Mr. Bennett will cut the holly scientifically so that the trees will not be injured in any way but rather benefited by the pruning. The holly then will be taken to the Club's store and sold.

Orders for nearly two tons of holly have been received from the Prairies through the Prairie Rotary Clubs. More orders from this part of the Dominion, it is expected, will be received before Christmas while a large number of Victorians with friends in Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba undoubtedly will have the Club send packages of holly to them. In addition, heavy local orders are anticipated. "This we intend to go into the domestic and the export business," one of the Rotarians in charge of the holly sale observed to-day.

All owners of holly trees who wish to assist the poor of the city without trouble or expense to themselves are asked to get in touch with Captain Goodlake, Secretary of the Rotary Club, war, and Winch Building, or to bring contributions of holly to the holly store to be opened in the Windsor Grocery premises within the next day or two.

CAPT. GADSDEN IS
HEARD AT LUXTON

A meeting of Capt. B. J. Gadsden's supporters was held in Luxton Hall on Friday, when the principles and aims of the Soldier-Labor-Farmer Party were most thoroughly discussed by the candidate for Esquimalt, who laid special emphasis on the necessity of establishing a Provincial Bank, and accused the Liberals of "stealing his thunder" in their eleven-hour advocacy of this plank of his platform.

C. K. Christian criticized the old party for their failure to fulfil their pre-election promises, and called the attention of the electors to the importance of using care in the selection of their members, as an eleven-hour choice at this time committed them for the next five years.

The chair was occupied by H. H. Neild, and the meeting closed at 10 o'clock by singing the National Anthem.

VANCOUVER MAN HAS GAINED 90 POUNDS

Colgan Says Tanlac Made
Him Feel Like Brand
New Person

"Tanlac has just made me feel like a new man for it has not only restored my health, but has actually built me up thirty pounds in weight as well," was the enthusiastic statement made recently by J. Colgan, of 3943 Pender St. East, Vancouver, B. C. Mr. Colgan is a veteran of the recent world war and served overseas for over three years with the 6th Brigade Artillery.

"When I was mustered out about a year ago, my stomach was giving me no end of trouble, and I got in a badly rundown condition. My appetite was almost completely gone, and what I did manage to eat soured and bloated me up until it caused awful spells of palpitation and terrible choking sensations. I was getting little nourishment from my food, and was losing in weight and strength right along. My head ached dreadfully, and some days my back hurt so bad I could hardly bend over. I was so nervous everything seemed to worry me, I didn't know what it was to sleep well, and felt tired out all the time.

"Well, sir, Tanlac has certainly changed things around for me. It has given me an enormous appetite, and I can eat just anything set before me without it causing me a bit of trouble now. I never have an ache or pain, sleep like a log every night, and have actually gained thirty pounds in weight. I have just as much strength and energy and am feeling just as fine as I ever did in my life, and certainly have the highest praise for Tanlac."

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Women's Combinations, in large sizes, "Hygeian" brand, made with low neck, short sleeves and ankle length. Regular \$5.75 values clearing at, a suit **\$3.95**

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Women's Flannelette Bloomers and Underskirts at Special Prices

Bloomers of first class flannelette, in white and light colored stripes. Special at **\$1.00**

Underskirts of white flannelette, trimmed with lace and fancy stitching. Special at **\$1.25**

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Babies' Flannelette Wear At Special Prices

Flannelette Nightgowns, in a good quality material. Special at **\$1.00**

Shortening Petticoats of white flannelette. Special at **75¢**

Infants' Barracoots of soft white flannelette and trimmed with fancy stitching. Special at **65¢**

Infants' Long Skirts of white cotton and nainsook, trimmed with lace and embroidery. Regular \$1.25 values; slightly soiled. Clearing at **75¢**

—Infants', First Floor—Phone 1194

Comforters and Quilts Recovered at Special Prices

During December our charge for covering comforters and down quilts will be \$3.50 only, providing coverings are selected from the great assortment of materials in the Drapery Department, where our prices are exceptionally moderate.

Art Sateen, 31 and 36 inches wide, ranging up from, a yard **69¢**

Art Sateen, 31 and 36 inches wide; extra good grade. At, a yard, **\$1.10** and **\$1.25**

Down-Proof Art Sateen, 31 inches wide. At, a yard, **\$1.40**

Call and consult us regarding the re-covering of your comforters and quilts; second floor, or phone 1246.

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Indian Burnt Novelties make the most appreciable gifts for friends abroad; they appreciate this beautiful work of the "Far West" and never tire of exhibiting it as from "my friend in the West."

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And what a wonderful assortment of useful and pretty articles there are to select from for both men and women, all priced moderately; Cushions, Snapshot Albums, Correspondence Sets, Centre Pieces, Book Covers, Playing Cards in Cases, Purses, Letter Racks, Handkerchief Cases, Glove Cases, Pipe Racks, Card Cases, Razors in cases, and scores of other articles that are the acme of appreciable Christmas gifts. Name or initial burned on all goods free of charge.

N.B.—Last mail for the Old Country leaves about December 1. Remember this and get your gift away soon.

—Main Floor

In Order To Make a Complete Clearance of All Remnants That Have Accumulated During Recent Sales, We Are Offering the Complete Assortment at Half Price

There are remnants of Serges, Gaberdines, Coatings, Velveteens, Silks, Satins, Jap Silks, Pongees, Taffetas, Ribbons Velvet Ribbons, Flannels, Flannelettes, Cottons, Sheetings, Prints, Delaines, Wrapperettes, Voiles, Beach Cloths, Crepes, Ginghams, Cantons, Crash, Towelings and Oilcloths. Thousands of remnants at half price. Don't let this opportunity pass without securing some of the great values offered.

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Flannelette Garments for Children A Large Selection

Flannelette Sleepers in a durable quality, with long sleeves; sleepers suitable for the ages of two, four and six years, with or without feet. At **\$1.25**

White Flannelette Gowns with high neck and long sleeves; designed with yoke and trimmed with pin-tucks; sizes for two to four years. At, each **\$1.25**

White Flannelette Gowns in kimona style; made full size and with long sleeves; suitable for the ages of six to sixteen years. Priced accordingly at **\$1.75** to **\$2.50**

White Flannelette Princess Slips trimmed with imitation tulle lace around neck and sleeves and finished with a six-inch flounce; sizes to fit the ages of eight to sixteen years. At **\$1.50**

White Flannelette Petticoats with bodice and full skirt; sizes for two to six years. Special at, each **75¢**

Drawers of best grade flannelette, with or without frill, for the ages of six to fourteen years. Priced according to size at **\$1.00** and **\$1.25**

See these flannelette garments in the children's department.

—First Floor—Phone 6896

Christmas Books for Boys and Girls Interesting Volumes at \$1.35 Each

The boys and girls are expecting books for Christmas and will be disappointed if they don't receive them.

In the Book Department we are prepared to take care of every demand made for suitable books, and among them are the following interesting titles.

The Latest Books for Boys at \$1.35

With the Allies to the Rhine
With Joffre at Verdun
With French at the Front
With Roberts to Candahar
With Allenby to Palestine
Under Foch's Command
Under French's Command
Under Haig in Flanders
Tom Stapleton, the Boy Scout

The Latest Books for Girls at \$1.35

Phyllis in France
A Canadian Farm Mystery
Betty's Next Term
The Youngest Girl in School
The Patriotic Schoolgirl
A Pair of School Girls
The New Girl at St. Chads
The Madcap of the School
Lois in Charge

A visit to our Book Department will reveal appropriate Christmas gifts by the score; pretty Calendars, Christmas Cards, Fancy Stationery and other dainties that are always recognized as most appropriate gifts for conveying the sentiment of the Yuletide.

—Books, Lower Main Floor

Extra Special Values in The China Dept.

Christmas Pudding Bowls, three in a set, regular value \$1.10. Special, a set, **94¢**

China Cups and Saucers with a green and pink floral decoration; regular \$3.60 a dozen. Special at six for **\$1.35**

Odd Cups in white and gold, breakfast size. Special at six for **\$1.19**

White and Gold China Cups and Saucers. Special value at six for **\$1.49**

—China, Lower Main Floor

Men's and Boys' Shirts and Drawers—All Low Priced

Men's Cream Wool Fleece Shirts and Drawers, in a medium weight, an exceptionally soft finish; all sizes. Selling at, a garment **\$1.90**

Men's Natural Merino Shirts and Drawers, a cotton garment with a wool finish; medium weight; all sizes up to 44 in shirts. Special at, a garment **\$1.25**

Boys' Shirts and Drawers, sizes 22 to 32 chest; cream, wool fleece, medium weight and a soft finish. Selling according to size at **\$1.35** to **\$1.15**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor—Phone 2320

Wool Jerseys for Boys and Girls

Wool Jerseys in crimson shade, made in slip-over style, with V neck and long sleeves; suitable for the ages of four to twelve years. Priced according to size at **\$2.50** to **\$2.90**

Boys' All-Wool Jerseys with high collar and long sleeves; the Jersey is buttoned on the shoulder and is suitable for girls' or boys' school wear; sizes for four to twelve years. Priced according to size at **\$2.50** to **\$3.00**

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National Soda Biscuits, 60¢ tins **54¢**
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Malkin's Best Spices, pastry, allspice, Cayenne, white or black pepper; 15¢ tins **10¢**
Sunlight Soap, per package **30¢**
Wild Rose Pastry Flour, ten-pound sacks, each **72¢**

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Libby's Mince-meat, large jars, each **55¢**
Tea Garden Cranberry Sauce at **49¢**
Featherlight Baking Powder, 30¢ tins for **24¢**
Sun-Maid Seeded Raisins, 15-ounce packages for **32¢**
Royal City Tomatoes, 2½, per tin **14¢**
Quaker Corn, per tin **19¢**
Quaker Refugee Beans, per tin **20¢**
Quaker Wax Beans, tin, **21¢**
Quaker Standard Peas, tin, **19¢**
Quaker Early June Peas, per tin **21¢**
Libby's Mexican Style Tomatoes per tin **27¢**
Spencer's Special Blend Coffee, pound **45¢**
Spencer's Special Blend Tea, per pound **41¢**
Wagstaff's Apricot Jam, four-pound tins **\$1.29**

SPECIALS IN CHEESE, BUTTER, HAM AND EGGS

Mild Ontario Cheese at a pound **35¢**
B.C. Storage Eggs at a dozen **69¢**
Swift's Premium Hams, half or whole, butt ends **55¢**
Shank ends **62¢**
Spencer's Prime Butter at a pound **55¢**
Three pounds for **\$1.90**

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are included. Prices
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WELL-KNOWN BARON



LORD GLENCONNER

who died in England last week, was
the eldest son of the late Sir Charles
Tennant, and was created the first
Baron in 1911. He was a Liberal
member for Salisbury in the House of
Commons from 1906 to 1910, and from
1911 to 1914 was Lord High Commis-
sioner to the General Assembly of
Scotland. He visited Victoria in 1910
during the course of a tour of British
Columbia, studying economic condi-
tions.

BOARD PRAISES WORK OF BUSINESS MEN

Good Work Has Been Done for
City in Chamber of Com-
merce Organization

Eulogistic comment was heard on
all sides at the Board of Trade meet-
ing this morning when reference was
made to the excellent work carried
on by the various captains and teams
engaged in rolling up the grand total
of over 500 members for the new
Chamber of Commerce organization
which will shortly take the place of
the Board of Trade here.

J. H. Beatty, chairman of the
campaign committee, gave an address
in which he expressed his deepest
sense of gratification in which every
member present joined. In the
chair, remarked that he had never
before seen such ginger and vim put
into any campaign conducted in the
city. Time and services had been
freely given and the business men
had been downright earnest in their
determination to make the affair a
great success. The result would be
of wonderful assistance, and would
prove a great impetus to the Board
of Trade, thought Mr. Beatty.

At Mr. Beatty's suggestion, one of
the large photographs taken of the
men engaged in the campaign for
members will be framed and placed
on the walls of the board rooms. At
the special re-organization meeting
to be held shortly and at which the
full new membership will probably
be present, further expression of ap-
preciation will be given.

The report of the committee on
reorganization was adopted and the
setting of a date for the special
meeting to carry this out was left
to President Beckwith to fix following
the arrival in the city of Capt.
A. Gordon Scott, of the Canadian
City Bureau, who will arrive in the
city from the East next Thursday to
take over the inauguration of the new
organization.

Board Praises Work.
At the opening of this morning's
meeting, the secretary, Mr. Elworthy,
took occasion to express his deep ap-
preciation for the resolution passed
at the last meeting of the Board re-
commending to the incoming admin-
istration of the recognized Chamber
of Commerce that Mr. Elworthy's
services be utilized as permanent
secretary.

J. L. Beckwith replied that the
Board regarded Mr. Elworthy's ser-
vices in a very high manner and his
expression of appreciation of the
resolution passed was no deeper than
the Board's. Mr. Elworthy had given
many valuable years of faithful ser-
vice to the Board, and it should be
duly recognized.

Are you a citizen of Victoria, or
do you just live here? Victoria needs
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To-morrow the Last Day of the Anniversary and Stock- Reducing Sale

Purchase Now For Christmas and Immediate Needs

Price Reductions Range From 20 to 50 Per Cent

TUESDAY IS REMNANT DAY

The greatest accumulation of desirable lengths that we have offered for a long time. The Anni-
versary Sale has left us with many short pieces that must be cleared at even greater reductions than
heretofore.

Presenting a Collection of Dollar Specials For Tuesday

Pull-Over Sweaters in colors of Nile, maize, purple and
paddy, to clear at **\$1.00** each.
Heather Mixture Seamless Hose, with spliced toes and
heels. To clear at **\$1.00** a pair.
24-Inch Corduroy Velveteen in seven good colors, reduced
to **\$1.00** a yard.
Kayser Chamisette Gloves in natural, white, grey and
mastic, to clear, at **\$1.00** a pair.
White Voile and Muslin Blouses in square and V neck
styles, to clear, at **\$1.00** each.
Muslin Envelope Chemise, lace and embroidery trimmed,
\$1.00.
Flannelette Petticoats with hemstitched hems, to clear, at
\$1.00 each.
Flannelette Drawers, edged with lace and plain frill, re-
duced to **\$1.00**.
Boudoir Caps, plain and figured muslins, are in white, pink,
blue and mauve, reduced to **\$1.00** each.
Plaid Dress Fabrics in seven different tartans, reduced to
\$1.00 a yard.
Dainty Floral Ribbons, suitable for making Christmas
gifts, reduced to 2 yards for **\$1.00**.
29-Inch White Flannelette, reduced to 3 1/2 yards for
\$1.00.
27-Inch Stripe Flannelette, reduced to 4 yards for **\$1.00**.
Cotton Crepe, in neat stripes, reduced to 4 yards for **\$1.00**.

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A collection of broken sizes in such makes as
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HATS AND BONNETS.

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TUESDAY, which is **\$5.35** each. These are
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ISLAND BOARDS

TO MEET DEC. 15

Local Board Is Asked to
Assist Publicity For
Board

The adjourned joint Boards of
Trade meeting for Vancouver Island
will be held in Duncan on December
15. A request was made for a Vic-
toria delegation, to the Council of the
Board to-day.

The question of trying to conserve
the timber along the scenic highways
will probably be dealt with at that
meeting.

A special committee was named to
take up matters to be brought before
the Duncan meeting.

Pacific Ports Publicity.
T. C. Sorby wrote regarding the
formation of an organization of
Pacific ports. Ports are graded, and
Victoria comes in Class B.

Mr. Kingham explained that the
idea was to advertise Pacific ports all
over the world. A bulletin will be
issued monthly and sent to every
shipping agency in the world.

The matter was left to the Harbor
Committee of the Board with power
to act.

Armistice Day.
A letter from the Board of Trade,
Vancouver, asked that renewed in-

terest be taken in the movement to
have November 11 set aside in Can-
ada and the United States as a day
of Thanksgiving in connection with
the armistice.

Mr. Kingham suggested that the
matter be left over for discussion at
the B. C. convention of Boards of
Trade to be held next February, the
Board in the meantime concurring in
the suggestion.

In connection with the forthcoming
convention in Vancouver a represen-
tative delegation will go from Vic-
toria and a committee will be ap-
pointed to prepare a list of the mat-
ters to be discussed in Victoria's in-
terest.

Seymour Narrows Rock.
The Prince Rupert Board of Trade
asked for the co-operation of the
local Board in endeavoring to induce
the Government to remove a rock in
Seymour Narrows, which it was
claimed was a menace to navigation.
The communication was referred to
the Harbors and Navigation Com-
mittee.

More Publicity.
Geo. McGregor raised the question
of getting more publicity for Victoria
as a first port of call in trans-Pacific
shipping. It was the practice, he said,
in reports of movements in shipping,
to show a vessel as leaving from Mel-
bourne to Vancouver.

Father was hanging pictures, and
little Tommy was watching him.
Presently the small boy sought his
mother in the kitchen. "Oh, mother,"
he asked presently, after the cat had
stopped playing with him, "did you
hear the staidler when it tumbled
over in the parlour just now?" "No,
dear," replied mother. "I hope father
didn't fall, too?" "Not yet," was the
youngster's answer. "He's still
clinging to the gas bracket."

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MILL WORKERS HEAR LOCAL CANDIDATES

Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance; H. C. Hall, and J. B. Clearhue, M.C., Government candidates in Victoria, were well received when they spoke to the workmen in the yards of the Cameron Lumber Company at noon to-day. Some seventy-five men heard the candidates with close attention and considerable applause. Later the candidates visited the plant of the Canadian Western Woodworkers, Ltd., a concern which was assisted by a concern extended by the B. C. Department of Industries.

BRIEF LOCALS

King's Daughters.—The King's Daughters' monthly business meeting will be held in the rest room Wednesday, December 1, at 2.30 p. m.

Rebekahs Card Party.—The Rebekahs of the Grand Club will hold a military five hundred in the L.O.O.F. Hall on Douglas Street to-morrow night at 8.30 o'clock.

Auto Damaged By Fire.—Fire which broke out in a garage at 1168 Caledonia Avenue at two o'clock this morning damaged two delivery automobiles parked within. The Fire Department extinguished the flames.

Grand Army of United Veterans.—There will be an extraordinary special meeting of the members of the G. A. U. V. to-night at eight o'clock. All members are urgently requested to be present as there is business of importance.

In County Court.—Judge Lampman is to-day hearing the case of Alexander vs. Quinn, an action for damages arising out of an automobile collision which took place on Leighton Road about two months ago. T. Hankey is acting for the plaintiff and H. B. Robertson for the defence.

Women's Auxiliary to Give Dance.—A dance will be given at the Caledonia Hall on Thursday, December 2, at 8.30 p. m. by the ladies of the Women's Auxiliary to G. V. W. A. The proceeds will go to provide Christmas cheer for the patients in the local military hospital. Comrade Stumby's Orchestra will be in attendance and refreshments will be served. A most enjoyable time is being prepared by the ladies for those who are fortunate enough to be present.

Wins Golf Championship.—Finals for the championship of the Victoria Golf Club were played off yesterday morning and afternoon, on the Oak Bay links, when A. B. Macquie defeated J. A. Ritchie in a thirty-nine hole match. The game was stoutly contested, the contestants being all square at the half way point in eighteen holes. In the afternoon Macquie finished, winning with four up and three holes to play, thus winning the championship of the Victoria Golf Club. The Calcutta four-somes will commence on Saturday, December 11, entries closing on December 9.

Receives Address.—Charles R. McGillivray, assistant minister to Dr. W. Leslie Clay of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, has accepted a call as minister to a South Vancouver Church and will be inducted on Friday evening next. Yesterday afternoon St. Andrew's Sunday School and representatives of Young People's organizations of the church, presented him with an illuminated address and cheque to assist him in building up his library as a help in his new field of work. Appreciation of his work was given expression to by representatives of the pastor and session, the Sabbath School, Young Men's Bible Class, Young People's Society, Young Women's Missionary Society, Debating Club and Tennis Club. Mr. McGillivray carries with him the best wishes of all the many friends he has made for himself during his year's work in St. Andrew's Church.

G. W. V. A. Concert.—The regular Saturday night smoker took place at the G. W. V. A. Club, with Comrade Hart in the chair. Notwithstanding the many political meetings in the city, a large audience was present, and a most excellent programme was carried out. Comrade Dumbarton excelled all his previous performances as a comedian and dancer. Lieut. Bob Webb won loud applause with several songs. Comrade Harper gave a remarkable exhibition of whistling. Comrade Ramsay created great laughter with his comic songs and antics. Comrade Ingledew, the well known society entertainer, told excellent stories. Comrade Worth's imitations seemed to transport the audience from a farm yard to a saw-mill alternately. An excellent baritone song was rendered by Comrade

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R.M.S. Empress of Japan, running into heavy weather off the coast, was forced to slow down as she was nearing the completion of her voyage from the Orient. The latest report from sea is that the liner will reach William Head about midnight and will dock at 9 o'clock to-morrow morning. It was expected that the Japan would make port this afternoon.

OBITUARY RECORD

Dr. John Briggs and Harry C. Briggs, of this city, have suffered a sad bereavement by the death of their father, Thomas Lasher Briggs, who died in New Westminster on Saturday. Born in Kingston in 1858, the late Mr. Briggs participated in the Cariboo gold rush. In 1872 he opened a business here in partnership under the name of Strauss, Briggs, Kuritz & Co., the local agent for the Canadian Pacific Navigation Company, and when that concern was absorbed by the C. P. R. he retired, spending the rest of his life in New Westminster.

Mary Thurburn, wife of Thory Vincent Thurburn of Mt. Tolmie, passed away yesterday at the age of sixty-one years. She was born in New Jersey and had resided in Canada since 1890, having spent fourteen years at Nanaimo and three years at Nelson and Balfour before coming to Victoria to reside. She leaves to mourn their loss her husband, one daughter, Eileen and one son, Hector. Her eldest son, Sedgwick, was killed in action on the European Front in 1917. The funeral will leave the residence on Wednesday at 2 o'clock, proceeding to St. Luke's, Cedar Hill, where services will be held at 2.15. The Rev. G. A. Wells officiating. Interment will be made in St. Luke's Cemetery.

The funeral of the late John Alfred Walter took place Saturday afternoon from the B. C. Funeral Chapel at 2 o'clock, proceeding to St. James Church, where an impressive service was conducted by the Rev. H. T. Archibald. There were many friends present and the casket and hearse were covered with beautiful floral tributes. One hymn was sung, "Jesus, Lover of My Soul." The remains were laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery. The following acted as pallbearers: E. Rogers, T. Rice, W. T. Phillips, A. S. Thomas, J. Raymond and A. W. Saddington.

IRISH "REPUBLIC" ADVOCATES BLOCKADE STREET IN CHICAGO

Chicago, Nov. 29.—(Chicago Press)—The latest thing in picketing or sign-carrying by Sinn Fein sympathizers took place here last night when a party of men and women

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Patrick in Calgary to Prove His Charges

Coast Magnate to Attend Inquiry Which Will Start To-night to Determine Whether or Not Alberta "Big Four" Is Professional Organization; Sensational Developments Expected.

Vancouver, Nov. 29.—Governors of the Alberta A. A. U. will start an investigation into the operations of "Big Four" Hockey League clubs, having finally decided to act on the charges filed by the P. C. H. A. that many players in the Alberta Hockey League are professionals.

At the urgent request of Brigadier-General McDonald, president of the Alberta A. A. U., Frank Patrick, president of the Coast League, left on Saturday night for Calgary, where he will produce his evidence in substantiation of the charges he has filed against the Alberta league. The coast magnate carried with him several affidavits which are said to contain incriminating evidence and which he claims that not a few of the majority of the Alberta players were paid in money for their services last year.

Want Cheques Withdrawn.

Brigadier-General McDonald in his letter to Patrick Saturday asked the latter to withdraw his \$1,000 forfeit, pointing out that there was no necessity for such action and that the charges were only too anxious to clear the situation.

Sensational developments are expected when the purchasers against whom the charges have been filed are named before the governors. No names have yet been mentioned, but it is understood that the coast players take in at least a dozen coaches.

Inquiry Starts To-night.

The governors will start their inquiry to-night, when Patrick will submit his evidence. The coast officials expect to return home on Wednesday morning. The suspension of many players from amateur hockey in Alberta is expected to follow the Alberta investigation.

Summoning Players.

Calgary, Nov. 29.—Frank Patrick, president of the Pacific Coast Hockey Association, is in Calgary summoning players to a meeting of the executive of the Alberta branch of the Amateur Union, called by Brigadier-General McDonald, to discuss the charges of professionalism laid against the "Big Four" hockey players. The first conference is called for ten o'clock this morning and it is believed that several players will be summoned before the board.

WILLIE JACKSON AND LEW TENDLER AND

Chicago, Nov. 29.—After many unsuccessful attempts a match has been arranged between Willie Jackson and Lew Tandler, two of the leading lightweights of the country. They will meet together December 14 before the National Athletic Club at Milwaukee in a ten-round no-decision affair. Managers of both boxers have posted bets of \$1,000 that their men will win. Jackson is expected to receive a guarantee of \$10,000 each.

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Winners of Six-Day Bike Race Were Deprived of Money Because They Sprinted in Closing Laps

New York, Nov. 29.—(By Canadian Press).—Because of a rule not generally known to six-day bicycle race enthusiasts, Joe Kopsky and Tom Bellows, are deprived of their victory in the long grind that ended at midnight last night at the 22nd regiment armory.

They gained a full lap in the last ten minutes of the contest, but because the sprints were in progress at the time they won, it was not officially recognized. They were placed fourth.

The first money and chief laurels went to Ray Eaton and Harry Kaiser, who had accumulated 836 points during the week. Alfred Goulet and Fred Hill were second with 700 points.

All covered 2,240 miles and four laps during the 142-hour ride, being 519 miles behind the record of Goulet and Legend in 1914.

Migrating Hockeyists Must Carry Transfers

Winnipeg, Nov. 29.—Amateur hockey will flourish in Manitoba this winter if the plans of the Manitoba Amateur Hockey Association materialize as at the annual meeting here on Saturday considerable headway was made toward establishing the game much stronger throughout the province. Dr. McDiarmid, of Brandon, was again the choice for president, and F. W. Marples, secretary.

The association discussed the amateur question at some length, and made several changes in the by-laws to strengthen the hold on amateurism. Players moving to the province must secure a proper transfer from the association they last played for before being allowed to compete here.

Lack of Evidence.

Dr. McDiarmid was relieved from the duties of selecting a committee to investigate certain rumors after he explained that it had been impossible to go ahead with the investigation, owing to the lack of evidence.

BRADFORD PROVIDES SURPRISE PACKAGE

Aston Villa Unable to Win Games Away From Home; Burnley's Big Score

London, Nov. 29.—(By Canadian Associated Press).—Bradford furnished the surprise of Saturday afternoon's games in the Association football league by defeating Aston Villa, who seemed to be a different team at home and away, for they have not won a match away since September. Bradford fully deserved their victory, Turnbull scoring three times, and MacLean once.

Burnley's seven goals against Oldham is the highest score in the first or second division this season. The forwards settled down to a splendid game and Oldham was overwhelmed from the start.

Huddersfield Attack Weak. The Arsenal substituted Butler for MacKinnon, but otherwise made no changes in the team for the return match against Huddersfield, which attracted 35,000 spectators. Huddersfield played ten of last year's cup finalists and showed marked powers of defence, but their attack was weak. Arsenal's goal came 30 minutes from the start, through Pagnam, who again scored midway through the second half.

South Shields are on top of the second division, through their win against Hull. Westham got three of its five goals, while Stockport's centre half was off the field injured, but they were the better side. Puddfoot gave his best display this season, scoring twice. Leeds scored three goals, made a real triumph of his promotion from the reserves.

Got a Home Victory. Fulham had their first home victory since the end of September. Crystal Palace, whose grounds are closed, met Exeter at Southampton and took full advantage of a shaky defence.

Additional information concerning the mysterious heavyweight boxer who is seeking a match with Jack Dempsey has been received in this country. The boxer's real name is said to be John Sanchez. It is said that he has beaten all the heavyweights in the South American countries and has the backing of a number of Panama business men. Senior Orndal, well-known in Cuba as a sportsman, will offer a purse of \$100,000 for a match between Sanchez and Dempsey. Harry Schuster, who recently returned to Cincinnati from Panama, says he has seen Sanchez box several times, and that he would be sure to go down to defeat. "The Spaniard is a big fellow," says Schuster, "weighing, I should judge, about 230 pounds, but he does not know the game well enough to beat a man like Dempsey. He is strong, too, and hits well, but the odds would be 5 to 1 on the champion."

Finland is coming along fast in track running. At a recent meeting A. Kuffschhoff ran 300 metres in 0.35-5-10, which supplants the former world's time of 0.34-1-10, held jointly by Paillet, of France, and Mazel of Hungary. At the same meet Hannes Kolehmainen ran 20 kilometres in 1.07-2-10, a new world's record. The old record was 1.07-37-4-5, made by A. Ahlgren, Sweden, 1913. Kolehmainen made the performance in the first 20 of a 25 kilometre race. His time for the full distance was 1.23-29-8-10, which establishes a world's record. L. Sipponen, another Finn, shattered the Finnish distance mark of Nikander, 41m. 34cm, by throwing 44m. 52cm. Nicklander won the Olympic discus competition at the Antwerp games with 116 feet 7-10 inches. Sipponen's new Finnish record is several feet better than the Olympic winner's performance. It is, however, several feet below the Finnish world's record made at Celtic Park, L. L. May 27, 1919.

Players to Be Asked if They Want Rule Changed

B. C. A. A. U. Delegate to Winnipeg Conference Will Be Guided By Decision of Athletes Who Play Rugby; Reported Many Players Do Not See Need of Change.

In order to discover whether or not the rugby players in British Columbia are anxious for a change in the amateur rules a plebiscite is to be taken. If the players vote for a change the delegate from this Province to the annual meeting of the A. A. U. of C. to be held at Winnipeg next month, will support a resolution to have rugby classified among the branches of sport over which the union has no control. This decision was made at a special meeting of the executive of the B. C. branch of the A. A. U. of C. held here on Saturday night.

The matter was brought to the attention of the meeting by a letter from the British Columbia Rugby Union in which a request was made that rugby be placed on the same basis as golf, cricket and indoor bowling. The Rugby Union wants professionals in branches of sport other than rugby allowed to compete in games played under the B. C. A. A. U. without the amateurs who play losing their standing.

Express Doubt.

Doubt was expressed at the meeting as to whether or not the players were anxious to have a change in the rules. Some of the delegates stated that they had spoken to players who failed to see what good the change would do as there are very few professionals in other branches of sport in this province who wish to play rugby.

The only way possible of discovering whether or not the players are desirous of having the change made in the rules was to take a plebiscite, and this will be done immediately the meeting decided. If the players vote to have the rules amended the delegate to Winnipeg will be instructed to support the change, but if the players decide otherwise the delegates will carry the resolution from the rugby union to the amateur meeting but will not back it up.

Dr. Davidson, president of the Vancouver branch of the B. C. A. A. U. and vice-president of the Canadian body, is to be the British Columbia delegate to the Winnipeg meeting.

Several other important matters were discussed at the meeting. Dr. Davidson is to use his own discretion as to whether or not B. C. supports the plan for a change in the system of selecting representatives for the Olympiad.

No Pros Allowed.

The resolution from the New Westminster branch of the B. C. A. A. U. that professionals in one branch of sport be allowed to compete with amateurs in other branches of sport was not supported. The Royals are anxious to play some of their pro lacrosse players in amateur soccer.

The B. C. delegate will not support the application of the Quebec branch of the A. A. U. of C. that parks and playground instructors be allowed to play amateur sport. It was thought, too, many loop-holes would be created.

West and Mets Capture Games and Are Still Tied For Senior Soccer Title

Saturday's soccer results were as follows:
Senior League.
Victoria Wests, 2; Yarrows, 1.
Metropolis, 6; Sons of England, 0.
G. W. V. A., 2; Comrades, 0.

Intermediate League.
Garrison, 5; Esquimalt, 1.
Wholesalers' League.
Rithets, 2; Leisers, 2.
Wilson's, 4; Kelly Douglas, 3.

Junior League.
James Bay, 3; Saanich Rovers, 0.
Juvenile Foresters won by default from Victoria.

Interest in the race for the city senior soccer honors is beginning to grow. The Victoria Wests and Metropolis eleven. For a time it was thought that Yarrows would be an important factor in the race, but when the Wests took them into camp on Saturday and on the previous Saturday the Wests trimmed the Yarrows, it looks as though the present league leaders will be left to battle for the championship.

On Saturday the playing fields were very slippery, and the ball was greasy with the result that the work of the teams was somewhat impaired. Two serious accidents marred the day's play. Stanley Okell, who took Jimmie Allan's place at half back for the Wests, had his collar-bone broken in a collision after clearing the ball. He left the game. "Smiler" Petticrew, the hard-working forward of the Metropolis, wrenched a cartilage of his knee when he ran into Lock, the Sons' back, when about to shoot. Both Petticrew and Okell will be out of the game for the rest of the season.

Wests vs. Yarrows. The game between the Wests and Yarrows attracted a large crowd of spectators. The Shipbuilders won the toss. The game started fast and furious, and Bridges was called upon to save several long shots, which he did well. Five minutes from the start Archie Muir tripped Charman, and the game was restarted. This made the Wests play harder, and immediately Johnny Peden scored with a shot. The Bridges never attempted to save, being away out of his reach. Yarrows went away from the kick off, and Shandley saved from Bridges, the outside right, and the Wests began to press again, but Mosher alone saved them. The half time was fast approaching, and Johnny Peden tapped the ball for goal, but Bridges brought off a wonderful save, and the whistle went for half time.

Right after the resumption of play Yarrows commenced to press, and from a centre across the goal Bridges, who had gone to the left wing, scored with a shot well out of Shandley's reach, and the teams were even again. This nettled the Wests, and they started to attack again, and were soon in front. The four forwards rushed the ball up, and a shot by Jimmie Allan, who had been playing the ball, Shandley, a fine training kick, sent the ball over the bar. The Wests were not working.

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page. During the afternoon he notched four tallies.
The determined rushes of the Mets were unsuccessfully resisted by the forwards and it was only by the good work of the Sons' full-backs, Lock and Graig, assisted ably by Vincent, centre half-back, that the Mets did not score more goals than they did. Fine combination was the outstanding point of the game on the Mets' side. Johnny Cummings secured a third goal and the first half ended with the score at 3-0.
"Smiler" Petticrew, who met with a bad accident near the end of the first half, was unable to continue in the second, having given his knee a bad wrench. The accident happened when "Smiler" was about to drive for the goal, he collided with Lock, the Sons' full-back.
Johnny Cummings again sent the ball between the post shortly after the second half started. After this the Mets seemed to tire out, and from then on the game was saved only by Finnigan, who did some nice work while in goal. Cummings again scored, and was followed by Captain Chris Owen, who put the ball into the net with a very clever bit of head work. The ball had been centred by Jim Cummings and a bounce from the head of the Captain was sufficient to do the deed which ended one of the cleanest games played this season.

The teams:
Sons of England—Finnigan; Lock and Graig; Thomas, Vincent and Tappan; F. Kerley, Coster, A. Kerley, Walters and Attwell. Reserves, Davidson and Oliver.
Metropolis—Leeming; Taylor and Church; Wale, Owen and McDougall; Jim Cummings, Brynjolfsson, Petticrew, John Cummings, and Totty.
Comrades Lose.
The Comrades slipped up in their match with the War Vets at Beacon Hill, and accepted a 2-0 defeat. Both teams were in good form and play was exceedingly keen throughout. During the first half neither team was able to score. Whatever shots were aimed at the goal were easily cleared by the custodians.
It was not until well on in the second half that the Vets decided the game. Caskie got the ball at his feet at the goal-mouth on a pretty pass from Clarkson and easily found the net. In a scrimmage around the Comrades' goal George Allan took the ball past Heatherington. The Comrades rallied and tried to break into the scoring column, but the Vets' backs were in good form. Bloom made an opening but missed through being over-anxious.
The line-ups:
Comrades—Heatherington, Petch, Phillips, Green, Miller, McConnell, Harper, Bloom, Hillier, Holt, McIlroy.
G. W. V. A.—Shrimpton, Broadner, Rickinson, Gibson, Harwood, Cismers, Clarkson, G. Allan, Southern, Wright and Caskie.

Wholesalers Open Up.
The Wholesalers' Grocers' League opened on Saturday with two games. Play was very keen in both clashes, and the scores were very close, neither side being able to obtain a two-all draw with Leisers, and next game.

Wilson's got the decision over Kelly, Douglas, by the odd goal in seven.
Rithets had the edge in the first half and Erickson shot the ball into Leisers' net, but in the second period the Leisers rallied, and Finnigan bounced the ball in among the twins and evened the score. Davidson's shot put Rithets ahead, but Leisers came back, once again and H. Gray scored. The teams:
Rithets' Rovers: E. Speed, Ross, Main, J. Dawson, O. Speed, K. Hughes, Cliff Jackson, Thorbourne, G. Kerr, D. Davidson, Sid Hole, Bill Erickson.
Leisers: W. Sallaway, J. Allen, J. Taylor, S. Perkins, Lumina, Hopkins, McDonald, C. Fca, H. Gray, Fox, Danglefield.
Kelly Douglas were not fast enough to stave off the rush of Wilson's, and accepted defeat by 4-2. Both teams played keenly and fast. Two penalty kicks, which were both converted, were instrumental in giving Wilson's the edge. Bill Marshall scored both penalties for Wilson's, while Austin and Lutton notched the other goals. The Kelly-Douglas boys will have to be watched, as they have the makings of a fast and clever aggregation. The teams:
Wilson's: Bryant, Dunn, H. Bray, Freddy Young, Bill Marshall, George Austin, G. Cowan, Saunders, Lutton, Tyler.
Kelly's Nabobs: Medley, Hollings, Cotet, King, Conerton, Patterson, Blakey, Hyman, Jones, Barnes, Gropp.

FRANCE IS KEEN ON GETTING OLYMPIAD

Paris, Nov. 29.—The French Olympic committee has decided to propose that the 1924 games be held in Paris. The international committee will decide this question at a meeting to be held at Lausanne next June.

SPORTING NEWS

BAYS HOLD LEADERS TO DRAW SATURDAY

Made Auspicious Start on Re-appearance in League; Old Boys Win

Wanderers 8—J. R. A. A. S. Old Boys 7—Cardinals 3.
For the first time this season the Bays fielded a team in the Victoria City Rugby League on Saturday. They made a very auspicious appearance, holding the Readers to a draw. The Wanderers were without the services of their star back, Williams, who is still suffering from the

CANADIANS SETS RECORD FOR 100 YARDS SWIM

Montreal, Nov. 29.—Clayton Bourne, at the annual swimming meet here Saturday, by swimming the 100 open yards in 1.01.3-5, lowered the record of 1.02.1-5 established by Georges Vernot, a year ago.

injury he received in last Saturday's rep. game. Parker was in the back position and played a steady game. Following a lot of long kicking by both sides the Wanderers forced the play into the Bays' territory and after D. M. Grant had made an opening Walls went over for the first touch of the game. The kick to convert failed. The Wanderers were dangerous again but Boss Johnson by a spectacular piece of play relieved the pressure. He intercepted a pass from the Wanderers' three-quarters and carried the ball close to the opposing sticks when he made an effort to drop a goal. The kick was too

low. Shortly afterwards Grant missed in trying a place kick. Towards the close of the first half the Wanderers' three broke away and Sholto Gillespie went over. Grant annexed the two extra points with a fine kick.

Bays Rally.
The Bays rallied long enough to grab five points. Boss Johnson intercepted a pass and went over for the Bays' first try and Scott succeeded in converting.

After the rest period the Wanderers launched another attack but the Bays came back strongly and McKenzie crossed the line for the last tally of the game. The Bays' defence was subjected to a strong attack but successfully held and towards the end their forwards took the ball down and gave the Wanderers an interesting time.

The teams:
Wanderers—Parker; Ward, S. Gillespie, E. Gillespie, D. M. Grant and Walls; J. A. Stewart and W. Y. Stewart; Pendray, Acland, Lowe, Jones, McIlreath and McCallum. James Bays—Hickey; Vincent.

HOW'S THIS FOR A "REP" RUGBY SQUAD

A prominent rugby fan in this city has sent in the following line-up which he thinks would make a fine rep team for Victoria in the next game against Vancouver:
Full-back—Boss Johnson.
Three-quarters—E. McCallum, Bendroit, D. M. Grant and J. Matson.
Halves—D. Grubb and B. Wilson.
Wing forward—Sholto Gillespie.
Forwards—Pendray, J. McRae, W. Tolmie, Acland, T. Matson, Miller and Brynolfson.

Armbrister, Scott, Bendroit and McKenzie; Anderson and Johnson; Bennett, Brynolfson, Moses, Miller, Montelth, Johnson and Travis.

Old Boys' Revenge.
The Old Boys got their revenge on the Cardinals at Oak Bay on Saturday. In the first meeting of these teams earlier in the season the Cardinals were victorious but there was no dewing the school boys this time. They were without the services of Tim Matson and H. Wilson, while the Cardinals were one man short and were without four of their regulars.

The Cardinals opened the scoring. Goodacre getting over for the only score of his side. A few minutes later the Old Boys went into the lead when Jack Matson dropped a pretty goal.

In the second half play was very even but the Old Boys, through the medium of Robertson managed to get another try. C. Holmes took the kick. The ball hit the bar and fell on the wrong side.

The teams follow:
Old Boys—Full-back, Ken. Macdonald; three-quarters, J. Matson, Holmes, Hanbury and Ker; half-backs, Robertson and B. Wilson; five-eighths, Challoner; forwards, Harvey, Tolmie, Holmes, Helgeson, Thurnburn, Appleton, Chadwick.
Cardinals—Full-back, Steel; three-quarters, Bannan, Goodfellow, Goodacre, Blythe; half-backs, Grubb and Smith; five-eighths, Huxtable; forwards, Honeychurch, G. McRae, Herman, Parfit, J. McRae and Tolmie.

WITHIN THE ROPES

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 29.—Jack Britton, welterweight champion of the world, will defend his title here tonight against Jake Abel in a scheduled ten-round bout.

Calgary, Alta., Nov. 29.—Cal Delaney, lightweight contender for Benny Leonard's lightweight crown, who boxes Bud Ferrill, of Chicago, Friday night, will leave for Seattle on the first train out of Calgary, as he has been matched to box Simonich before the Northwest A. C. Seattle.

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GRASS HOCKEY RESULTS

Two very good games were played on Saturday by the four men's teams of the Victoria Grass Hockey Club at the Jubilee Hospital ground. That between the Greens and the Blues was particularly well contested, the Greens winning by three to two only after five minutes overtime had been played. In the other game the Browns beat the Reds by four to two.

ENGLISH RUGBY RESULTS

London, Nov. 29.—Rugby football results:
Other rugby football club matches were:
Harlequins, 0; Blackheath, 22.
Leicester, 3; Cardiff, 11.
Swansea, 0; Newport, 11.
Cambridge University, 26; United Services, 8.
Neath, 13; Llanelly, 0.
Northampton, 11; Army, 5.
Gloucester, 20; Mosely, 0.
Birkenhead Park, 26; Headingly, 10.
Edinburgh, 0; Howick School, 6.
Oxford University, 27; London Scottish, 3.
Merchant Taylors, 8; Rosslyn, Park, 4.
Old Edwardians, 22; Sheffield, 0.
St. Bartholomews, 0; Richmond, 8.
London University, 0; Dublin University, 22.
Rugby, 23; Bedford, 0.
Sidecup, 18; Ealing, 0.
Cheltenham, 5; Coventry, 12.
Civil Services, 12; Parkhouse, 0.

DUNDEE AND JACKSON ARE BOXING TO-NIGHT

New York, Nov. 29.—Johnny Dundee and Willie Jackson, lightweight boxers meet here to-night, in a 15-round bout to decide which of them will later attempt to wrest the lightweight crown from Benny Leonard.

BOY MCCORMICK TO FIGHT IN SEATTLE

Seattle, Wash., Nov. 29.—Boy McCormick, the English light-heavyweight champion who boxes Jim Flynn at the Legion show Tuesday evening at the Crystal Pool, arrived this morning to complete his training for the match. The holder of the Lord Londale belt has been working

for the go in Portland, and will top off preparations with a workout at the Pool this afternoon.

VANCOUVER ISLAND NEWS

Successful Bazaar.

Nanaimo, Nov. 29.—St. Andrew's Woman's Association have held a successful bazaar, features of which were booths for every workday of the week, and a demonstration of spinning of native wool and an exhibit of

articles made therefrom. Mrs. Dennis Harris, of Victoria, accompanied by Miss MacPherson, had charge of the exhibit. In the evening with Mayor Busby in the chair, Mrs. Harris gave an address, advocating the utilization of British Columbia wool by British Columbia people in the manufacture of homespun blankets, tweeds and similar products. Over \$400 was taken in the first day of the bazaar.

Back from Honeymoon.

Nanaimo.—Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Gray have returned from their honeymoon trip to Victoria and were tendered a reception at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. M. A. Rowe, Halliburton Street. One of the fea-

tures of the evening was the presentation to the bride and groom of numerous costly and appropriate presents from their many friends. Mr. and Mrs. Gray will take up their residence on Nicol Street.

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Canadian Vessels Busy Roaming Trade Routes

Activities of Canadian-Built Ships Are World-Wide; Spectacular Achievement in Maritime Development; Sea Consciousness Fraught With Vital Significance

A little while ago the Navy League of Canada was campaigning in the Dominion for the development of what they call "the sea conscious spirit among Canadians."

No doubt many busy people who heard the appeals wondered what it was all about and why Canadians, not noted for "going down to the sea in ships," should be asked to develop such a "consciousness."

There seems to be a failure generally to grasp the significance of Canada's entry among the shipowners in the fleet which is being operated by the Canadian Government Merchant Marine Limited, in conjunction with Canadian National Railways.

The development of the fleet with a programme of sixty-three new steel vessels is one of the most spectacular of the twentieth century, and easily, in its effect upon Canadian trade, the largest single Canadian development within the last two decades.

These "National ships of Canada," forty-one of which are already in service, are being kept constantly on the go. From both sea-ports in Canada they are reaching out to all the big world ports, carrying Canadian-made goods abroad and bringing to us the merchandise we purchase in other lands.

Exactly what these ships were doing the last day in October this year, Canadians may understand by the amazing story of their activities. In the North Atlantic, for British trade, at London, England, the Canadian Aviator was discharging cargo. At Liverpool the Canadian Ranger and the Canadian Conqueror had arrived, and at the same port, the Canadian Selkirk was loading for Canada. The Canadian Settler was discharging cargo at Manchester, and the Canadian Trapper at Cardiff. The Canadian Volunteer was at Glasgow unloading, and the Canadian Voyager was loading at Cardiff. This makes nine vessels of the Canadian national fleet in British ports alone in that short day.

The Canadian Carrier was in the Gulf of St. Lawrence bound for Glasgow. The Canadian Navigator was nearing Quebec, and the Canadian Signaller was at Glasgow. The Canadian Otter was on the way to London, and the Canadian Raider for London and Cardiff, the Canadian Miller was loading at Montreal for Liverpool.

In the Cuban and Jamaican trade, the Canadian Adventurer was home-bound with a cargo of sulphur from Sabine, Texas. The Canadian Rover was discharging cargo at Quebec, and the Canadian Trader had sailed from Havana for Montreal.

In the Barbados, Trinidad and Demerara service, the Canadian Beaver cleared from Sydney, Nova Scotia, outward bound, and the Canadian Farmer from Trinidad, for Canada. The Canadian Observer was discharging cargo at Montreal. In the South American trade, the Canadian Victor was loading at Montreal, and the Canadian Planter was unloading at Rio de Janeiro, the Canadian Spinner was unloading at Buenos Ayres.

On that date, in the newly-established Indian trade, from the Atlantic side, the Canadian Pioneer was part of the Suez, in the Indian Ocean between Karachi and Bombay, from which port she was to continue to Colombo, up the east coast of India to Calcutta, Rangoon, Singapore, Straits Settlements and on to the Dutch ports of Batavia and Surabaya, in Java.

In the Pacific service, the Canadian Exporter was discharging at Melbourne in Australia, the Canadian Inventor was on her way between Melbourne and Vancouver.

It would be an education for most Canadians to watch the loading of one of the national ships, the Canadian Victor for instance, loading for Trinidad in the British West Indies, Rio de Janeiro and Santos in Brazil, Montevideo in Uruguay and Buenos Ayres in the Argentine Republic.

A large variety of Canadian-made goods are being shipped to these ports.

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Extensive Repairs Necessary to Fishing Steamer James Carruthers

Sixty bottom plates will have to be renewed on the steel fishing steamer James Carruthers, in addition to the straightening of the entire bottom of the craft is damaged, which prevents the utilization of keel blocks for the support of the hull.

When the vessel was taken to the bottom damage the work of shoring up the vessel on the Esquimalt marine ways is a notable feat of engineering skill. Practically the entire bottom of the craft is damaged, which prevents the utilization of keel blocks for the support of the hull.

Competitive Bid.

Yarrows, Ltd., secured the repair contract in competition with other repair firms on the coast. The James Carruthers, it will be remembered, was in collision with the American survey steamer Surveyor near Prince Rupert, and later went ashore and was towed by the tug Clayburn to Esquimalt for survey and repair.

Several weeks will elapse before the James Carruthers will complete repairs. The vessel is owned by the Prince Rupert Fish and Cold Storage Company.

The importance of this aspect of the Canadian export situation cannot be over-estimated. Every dollar preserved to Canada through the handling of Canadian freights in Canadian ships and box cars, is a dollar on the right side of the business ledger of the country. As soon as our manufacturers and shippers, who trade overseas, realize this, Canadian vessels are certain to secure tonnage on a scale never approached before. The British Board of Trade estimated recently, according to a statement published by the Guaranty Trust Company of New York, that "the net earnings of British shipping this year will amount to approximately \$2,200,000,000, which sum, the Board says, will not only offset Great Britain's excess of imports over exports for the year, but give the kingdom a favorable balance of \$100,000,000."

Retain Earnings.

Using Canadian ships and keeping our freight earnings in Canada, would help most certainly to overcome any unfavorable balance of trade we might have with foreign countries.

The Canadian National Railways and the Canadian Government Merchant Marine Limited, have concluded satisfactory arrangements with the Holt Steamship interests at Liverpool and the British India Steam Navigation Company, Limited, for joint services between Atlantic and Pacific ports in Canada and the Orient, including India. Already one of the ships of the British India Company has called at a Canadian port and a cargo has been found for it by the Canadian Government Merchant Marine.

Likewise a full cargo has been secured by the British India Company for one of our ships now in Oriental waters.

So this "sea consciousness" is really fraught with vital significance to all the people of Canada. When one thinks of how the ships of England have nosed their way into all the corners of all the seas; of how almost untold wealth has been poured into the "Tight Little Island" in the North Atlantic; of how through her ships she has expanded her trade until it became world-wide then found cargo space to help in handling the goods sent out by other nations; only then does the true importance of the situation begin to be realized.

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KIWANIS MEETING HERE NEXT YEAR

Local Delegation Successful in Securing Important Gathering for Victoria

Victoria is to get the 1921 convention of the Kiwanis Club, stated Mr. Walter M. Walker, local secretary to-day.

Mr. Walker with Kenneth Ferguson, went to the district convention of the Pacific Northwest Kiwanis Clubs, held at Tacoma on Friday and Saturday last, as delegates from the Victoria Kiwanis Club.

At the convention in which some forty delegates sat on district business under the leadership of Dr. H. W. Riggs, district governor, the Kiwanis Clubs of Oregon, Washington and British Columbia were well represented, and much business was transacted.

After a spirited series of addresses in which they boosted the Victoria climate and resources for such a project, the Victoria delegation succeeded in getting the unanimous consent of the meeting to hold the 1921 convention here in the fall of next year. At the sessions, which lasted for two days, progress made by the clubs of the Pacific Northwest was found to have been considerable, and the governor expressed himself as delighted with the firm growth and expansion of the Kiwanis movement.

The list of officers appointed at the Pacific Northwest Convention of the Kiwanis Clubs included several names well-known in local circles. R. Wiggins, Portland, was elected district governor; B. George Hunsdell, Vancouver, first vice-governor; C. E. Riddell, Seattle, second vice-governor; G. A. Omar, Tacoma, was elected treasurer, while to fill the vacancies of three trustees.

Messrs. W. Ing, New Westminster; R. I. Wise, Aberdeen, and R. C. Peterson, Astoria, were appointed for the current term.

How City Benefited.

During the course of the shipbuilding contract about \$11,000,000 was disbursed in wages and labor, the purchase of ship's materials and expenditure on necessary plant. Nearly \$6,000,000 was spent in the purchase of material to go into the ships and \$4,500,000 was paid out for labor. Four thousand men, an unusually large percentage being returned war veterans, were placed at the peak of the contract, the big industrial undertaking being the highest known in the annals of Victoria.

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Finance Minister Aided Shipbuilding Industry

On more than one occasion Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, has concretely shown his desire to promote the industrial advancement of Victoria.

To quote a specific instance of Mr. Hart's efforts to place this city on the industrial map, it might be recalled that in the Summer of 1918 the Finance Minister, fully conscious of the needs of Victoria in the way of industrial expansion, brought his influence to bear in the right quarter and largely as a result of his efforts this city secured one of the largest wooden shipbuilding contracts that was ever awarded on this continent during the course of the war.

Prosperous Era.

It will be readily admitted that Victoria enjoyed a remarkable era of prosperity during the period that twenty wooden steamships were being constructed and outfitted here by the Foundation Company for the Republic of France. When some doubt existed as to the location of the shipbuilding operations, Mr. Hart happened to be in New York and he utilized much of his time to the profit of Victoria. He interviewed the head officials of the Foundation Company and it was later admitted by prominent officials of that concern that the bringing of the contract to this city was largely attributable to the energetic efforts of the Finance Minister. At the time Victoria was industrially stagnant.

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THE HOME OIL COMPANY, LTD., is a British Columbia incorporation founded for the purpose of developing the oil resources of this Province. The Company's holdings at present consists of approximately 20,000 acres of oil lands in the Fraser Delta, an area which has been favorably reported on by many eminent geologists and engineers from the time of Boverton Redwood onward. That the geological formation is favorable indeed, that an anticline of considerable magnitude really exists has been agreed upon by these authorities. Cunningham Craig, Sir William Dawson, Brock, Blood and Berry among others.

The increasing commercial demand for petroleum and the increasing scarcity of it throughout the world, has made the developing of such resources as we have in British Columbia imperative. It has made the production of oil in the Fraser Valley an enterprise which deserves the support of those who have the prosperity of the Province, to say nothing of their own prosperity, at heart.

These are the facts and motives behind the Home Oil Company, which is now in the hands of an able Directorate and Board of Advisors pledged to put forth all their efforts to attain the goal. The Company has acquired leases on nearly 20,000 acres of well blocked holdings on what is believed to be the most favorable field in the whole of the Fraser Delta, namely, the so-called Abbotsford Anticline at Abbotsford, B. C.

More than this, expert drillers with wide experience in the greatest oil fields of the world have been secured and are on the ground. Under the management of one of the ablest of living geologists and practical oil operators, the work is under way at Abbotsford.

Offices, bunk and cook houses have been built and are occupied. The sites for three oil wells have been selected, and an eighty-foot derrick is in process of construction, the necessary tools with the finest modern drills are on the ground and drilling will begin immediately.

The report of Frank H. Kiff, upon which the present undertaking is based, states that the indications are that there is a great body of petroleum here—oil of a high-grade paraffine base, and that the depth of the drilling will be approximately 3,300 feet. Three boring sites have been located upon what is believed to be the slope of the anticline.

The history of British Columbia is not without a record of attempts at oil production but these have so far been fruitless because of a scattering of effort, and perhaps a lack of that able and experienced management together with a fortunate acquisition of promising holdings such as the Home Oil Company has been fortunate enough to combine. This enterprise represents a concentration of effort at actual production.

That there is oil in British Columbia eminent scientific and practical authorities agree. More than this, they are almost of one mind as to its location in the Fraser Valley. The experts in charge of the Abbotsford field believe that it will be found here.

The Home Oil Company is on a sound financial basis, well organized and managed. It is capitalized at \$1,000,000 and the shares are now at par, ten cents. Only sufficient stock will be sold to defray the cost of drilling the three wells; Frank H. Kiff, manager and field superintendent, one of the ablest oil men on this continent, who is in charge of the work is confident that oil will be brought in.

A block of the stock is offered to the public at par.

THE COMPANY

THE HOME OIL COMPANY, LTD., is capitalized at \$1,000,000, divided into 10,000,000 non-assessable, non-personal liability shares of a par value of ten cents. The management of the Company is in the hands of a Board of Directors, Board of Advisors and a Managing Director.

B. O. Pinder is the President of the Company, Superintendent of Plant for Kelly, Douglas & Co., Ltd. Mr. Pinder's interest in the association with the progress of oil development in British Columbia dates from his arrival in B. C. twelve years ago. His rise in the service of Messrs. Kelly, Douglas & Co. has been steady and sure, a progress made possible by both ability and character, of which he is possessed to an unusual degree.

FRANK H. KIFF

Manager and Field Superintendent

Frank H. Kiff is a veritable "genius of the oil." A young Scottish lad he began his career in the Rumanian fields and we read the testimonials of one company in which he states that Kiff is "very intelligent, and of splendid judgment," also that his "knowledge of oil structure" and other technical matters is "wonderful."

In the capacity of geologist, manager and field superintendent of many companies he has been practically all over the world—in South America, the fields of Peru, in Asia, the principal fields including those of Japan. On this continent he has many holdings, principally in Wyoming and Texas. He was for more than seven years in Mexico with Mexican Petroleum.

Kiff left his holdings in Texas to join "Home Oil" upon an urgent invitation of the Company, only after consultation with his close personal friend and business associate, Scott Heywood, one of the biggest producers in Texas. Heywood had examined this field and was much impressed with its promise. In fact he had intended to begin operations here when the immediate and glowing lure of Texas drew him away.

Later, when Kiff, enthusiastic with his findings here at Abbotsford, requested the "loan" of Wm. J. Jones, Heywood's master driller, the latter was glad to comply, expressing his complete confidence in the success of the enterprise.

Kiff is concentrating his every effort and all his resources upon his work here. He is highly optimistic regarding the immediate prospects. He states that the indications are better than he has ever seen in an undeveloped field.

"If there is oil here," he says, "I will surely get it, and I thoroughly believe there is oil here."

He has expressed this confidence in a more practical way still for it is through his efforts that the greater part of the financing has been done up to the present. And it is to his ability, integrity, and tireless energy, that the Company looks for the realization of their plans to "bring in oil" at Abbotsford, and so achieve the immensely significant accomplishment of contributing yet a new source of wealth to this Province.

WILLIAM J. JONES

The Master Driller

William J. Jones, the master driller, left Amarillo, Texas, and the service of Scott Heywood, one of the largest Texas Oil producers, to take charge of the practical work on the Abbotsford field.

Jones was "the one man" that Kiff wanted to carry on the important work, and he "waited five weeks to get him." Jones was born in Oil City, Pennsylvania, and for practically his whole life has been chief driller in the principal oil fields on this continent. It was as a special favor to his friend, Kiff, that Mr. Heywood "loaned" Jones to the Home Oil Company. Jones' wide experience and his great skill is ample warrant for the confidence placed in him.

The Directorate and Advisory Board, the names of whose members appear below, is unusually strong. The members are all well known business men of this Province. Under their guidance, there seems little doubt of the complete success of the enterprise.

THE ENTERPRISE

What Oil Production Means to British Columbia

ONE of the significant facts bearing on the production of oil and its growing world-scarcity is that many of the great manufacturing plants and railroads which had gone to enormous expense to transform their power plants from coal burning to oil burning plants, have recently, because of the growing demand and the growing scarcity of petroleum reinstated their coal furnaces. Among those who have reverted to coal is the Canadian Pacific Railway which has lately appropriated several hundred thousand dollars for this purpose. What the bringing in of oil in B. C. would mean in this one instance alone is obvious.

One has but to see what the production of oil in Texas, Wyoming, California, and Pennsylvania has done to increase the general prosperity of these sections to form an estimate of the great significance to this Province of the work being done by the Home Oil Company.

Whereas millions of Canadian dollars are going out of the Province every year for gasoline alone, with the advent of oil in B. C. these millions will be retained and others will be brought into the Province.

The bringing in of oil in British Columbia will mean more rapid development, more wealth distributed, more industries established and more prosperity and advancement for the Province than could be accomplished by the development of any other natural resource or indeed in any other way. British Columbia up to now has looked to her mines and her forests for her future but with the production of oil, the most valuable of all assets will have been added to her potentialities.

The Holdings

The Home Oil Company's holdings, consisting of nearly 20,000 acres of well-blocked leases, are considered by General Manager Kiff as ideally located upon the so-called Abbotsford Anticline. The sites of the first three wells have been selected. No. 1 is half way up the slope about 500 feet from the Great Northern depot and about three blocks from the B. C. Electric station; No. 2 is farther east and lower; No. 3 is farthest west and higher. The Company is now negotiating for further acreage, 8,000 acres in all.

Offices, bunk and tool houses are here and occupied. Materials and tools and men are on the ground, and the construction of the derrick for well No. 1 is in progress. A special 50 H.P. boiler (140-lb. pressure, locomotive type) is being built by the National Machinery Company and will be ready for the drilling in fifteen days.

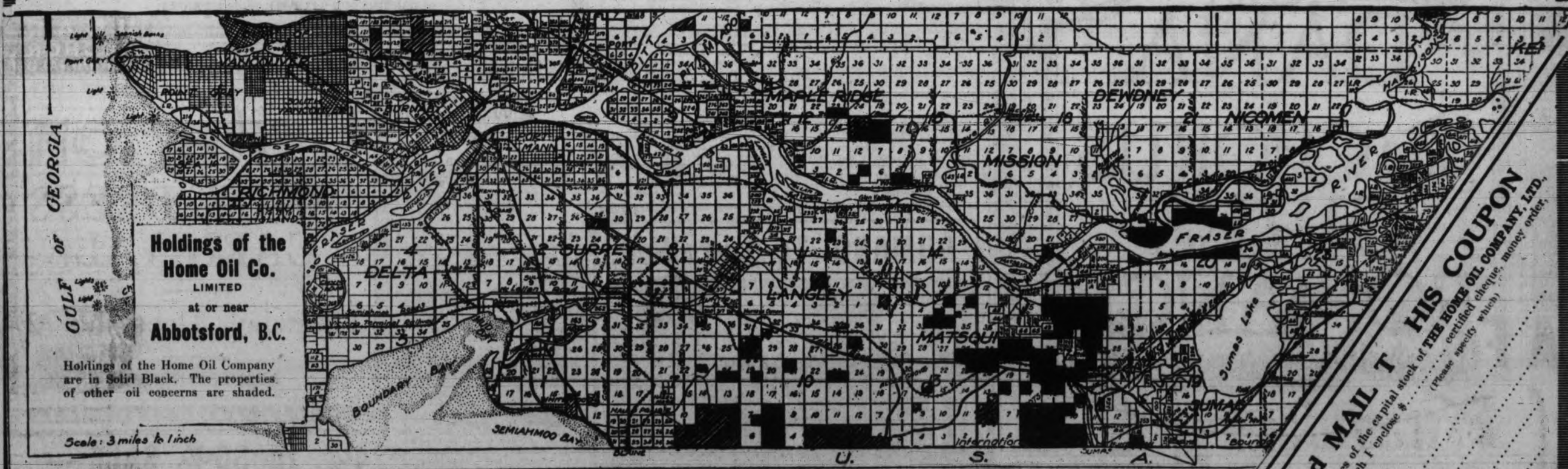
By the time all is in readiness for drilling on No. 1 the derrick for No. 2 will be in course of construction and the work on the two locations will be carried on simultaneously. Five carloads of tools and machinery have been purchased and are loaded on the cars at the Santa Fe depot, Amarillo, Texas, ready for shipment.

The work now started will not be stopped until tangible results have been attained. Both Manager Kiff and Master Driller Jones have a reputation for speed and pertinacity and results may be expected in the minimum of time. The combination drill and equipment is capable of going down 4,000 feet and of taking care of any formation that may be encountered. There should be no delay in the operation.

To those who realize the vast benefits that will come to the Province with the bringing in of oil at Abbotsford, and who are alive to the opportunity which this enterprise represents, the shares of the Home Oil Company will be sought as an unusual investment in which the patriotic aspect is important and the speculative feature is reduced to the minimum. These shares are now offered at par; that is, ten cents per share in blocks of 100 and upwards.

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CHARLES RAY IN

ROYAL OFFERING

"Forty-five Minutes From Broadway" Will Be Presented Here

Charles Ray's characterization of Kid Burns, the ex-pugilist in "Forty-Five Minutes From Broadway," is a happy blending of the interpretations of the character by many actors on the speaking stage, on which the piece was one of the most successful offerings ever presented. Not only has Mr. Ray incorporated the best bits done by George M. Cohan and Victor Moore, in the part, but he has also embodied any new and convincing work created by the many stock actors who have at times appeared in the play.

"In response to the question

AMUSEMENTS TO-DAY

Royal—"Forty-Five Minutes From Broadway."
Dominion—"Behold My Wife."
Pantages—"Yeomen of the Guard."
Columbia—"The Chorus Girl's Romance."
Variety—"The Law of the Yukon."
Romano—"The World to Live In."
Criterion—Belmont House.
Blue Mouse—724 Yates Street.

whether I am going to pattern my interpretation of Kid Burns after the creator of the part, Victor Moore," said Mr. Ray recently. "I mean to make it plain that I am copying no one's performance. The silent drama necessarily calls for a somewhat different expression of character. However, we are sticking very close to the original form of Mr. Cohan's play because for all purposes we think it best."

"I have seen 'Forty-Five Minutes

From Broadway," several times, and each time I think a different actor in the part of Kid Burns. I can recall many good touches in each conception of the part, and while my work may be reminiscent of one or more of those performances, it is bound to be because they more or less reflect Mr. Cohan's conception of the Kid still after considerable thought on the screen possibilities of this character. I am giving my own version of the part without losing any of Mr. Cohan's inimitable character drawing. It's a splendid part with all the elements the public likes. It's full of clean humor and indeed it has also its pathetic moments. Most important, however, is the fact that it provides me with a role which is due in line with the character drawings exhibitors prefer, and yet at the same time has a distinct novelty.

Local followers of the screen classics will have an opportunity to compare Mr. Ray's work with that of his predecessors in the role at the Royal Victoria Theatre beginning tonight, when "Forty-Five Minutes From Broadway" comes to that theatre as a First National attraction.

Earle Williams has practically completed his new Vitaphone production, "Diamonds Adrift." While it is by no means a tale of the sea, considerable of the action takes place on shipboard, and Mr. Williams and his company enjoyed a trip down the Pacific coast from San Francisco, Beatrice Burnham plays opposite Mr. Williams.

DOMINION TO PRESENT

"BEHOLD MY WIFE"

George Melford's Play Will Be Drawing Feature at Popular House This Week

"BEHOLD MY WIFE!"

The Cast
Laji, Indian Girl, Mabel Julianne Scott
Frank Armour, Milton Sills
General Armour, Winter Hall
Richard Armour, Elliott Dexter
A Cripple, Elliott Dexter
Mrs. Armour, Helen Dunbar
Marion Armour, Ann Forrest
Julia Haldwell, Maude Wayne
Chief Eye-of-the-Moon, Fred Huntley
Captain Vidal, F. R. Butler
Lord Haldwell, F. Temple-Powell
Gordon, Mark Fenton
Mrs. McKenzie, Jane Wolfe

An appealing story of the Canadian Northwest is promised in George Melford's latest production, "Behold My Wife!" which will be seen at the Dominion Theatre for one entire week, commencing to-night. The picture was adapted from a novel by Sir Gilbert Parker.

The action centers around the incongruous marriage of Frank Armour, the younger son of an aristocratic English family, and Laji, granddaughter of an Indian chieftain, whom he meets while serving as an officer of the Hudson's Bay Company in northwest Canada. On his return to the company's trading post from a hunting expedition, Armour receives word that his fiancée in England has jilted him, largely on account of his family's opposition to her. In a moment of drunken rage, Armour marries the Indian maiden and sends her back to England to humiliate his family. How, through the efforts of Frank's elder brother, she develops into a beautiful and polished young woman and how young Armour himself is regenerated forms the theme of the story.

Director Melford has developed the story amid a rugged atmosphere of raw beauty, thoroughly in keeping with the theme. The notable cast includes Elliott Dexter, Mabel Julianne Scott, Milton Sills and Ann Forrest. The picture is a Paramount.

FAMOUS OPERA

FOR TWO NIGHTS

Dramatic Society Will Again Produce at Pantages "Yeomen of the Guard"

In choosing the Tower of London as a setting for his play Sir W. S. Gilbert did a unique thing. Strange as it may seem the grim old Tower has been singularly selected by all the dramatists from Shakespeare downwards as a venue for their characters, and when it is considered what a wonderful part this old Norman palace and prison has played in the history of the English peoples; how closely it has been knit up in the warp and woof of British national life, one wonders all the more, Shakespeare might have laid the scenes of another Hamlet within its walls; Scott might have given its name to another Waverley novel; but they did not, and it was left to a latter day dramatist to show upon a theatrical stage the Tower as it was in its prime.

Tribute is paid by Arthur Payson to the power and beauty of Gilbert & Sullivan's masterpiece, and theatrical history is only being carried a step further with its presentation at Pantages Theatre to-night and Tuesday evening, by the Victoria Dramatic and Operatic Society. Complete historical accuracy, both in regard to scenic effects and dressing has been the aim of the producers, and with Miss Eva Hart in the role of Elsie Maynard, a part she played in England with one of the Savoy Companies, and a supporting cast of Victoria's best actors and singers, this, the latest presentation of the "Yeomen," bids fair to go down to memory in Victoria as an epoch-making production.

ROMANO—To-day to Wed.



The story of a girl with no kin, no money, nothing but a wild desire for happiness.

How long can a girl play with fire without being burned? See Alice Brady in "The World We Live In."

Comedy, "Regular Pal"—B.C. Weekly, Kauffman Weekly



PREPARED INTERIOR

SCENE FOR SCREEN

Portrayal of New York Cabaret Life in Film Now at Columbia

Rather than resort to the usual method of photographing large theatre and restaurant scenes in public resorts of that character, William C. Dowling, director of "The Chorus Girl's Romance," Viola Dana's Metro production, decided to build the interior of the cabaret, as called for in the script upon one of the immense stages at Metro's West Coast studios in Hollywood. The picture is the feature attraction at the Columbia Theatre to-day.

No cabaret in Los Angeles is of sufficient size to represent one of the shimmy-eat-drink refuge places in New York, the locale of the story, and Mr. Dowling was determined not to misrepresent on the screen. By erecting a special setting he obtained an exact reproduction of one of New York's famed cafes and the visitor upon the set might well imagine himself amid the joys of night life in Gotham.

"The Chorus Girl's Romance" is from the Saturday Evening Post short story, "Head and Shoulders," by F. Scott Fitzgerald. "The Chorus Girl's Romance" tells of the winning of a studious college boy's heart by a visiting chorus girl, and "shimmy" expert, their subsequent marriage, trials and tribulations, and final complete happiness and congeniality. Percy Heath scenarized Mr. Fitzgerald's story. The special art settings were designed by E. A. Freuderman, and John Arnold is the camera man.

KLONDIKE STORY TO

BE PRESENTED

"Law of the Yukon" This Week at the Variety Theatre

Film fans will be lured to the Variety Theatre when Charles Miller's "The Law of the Yukon," based on Robert W. Service's famous poem of the same name and presented by Mayflower Photoplay Corporation, will be the principal feature of the bill.

"The Law of the Yukon" portrays the motives and passions of men and women who are drawn to that frigid region by the lure of the gold; their intense manner of living; how they work hard and play equally hard; their deep loves and deep hates; their sense of fair play and rigid justice. The love appeal is tense and gripping and is as crisp and invigorating as the air of that far north country. Charles Miller's knowledge of the early days of the Klondike has made Robert W. Service's immortal lines: "This is the law of the Yukon, that only the strong shall thrive; that surely the weak shall perish, and only the fit survive."

By special arrangement, the management of the Variety Theatre has arranged to have Miss Belle Ellers recite Robert W. Service's poem at each performance at night. Miss Ellers is a well-known and clever elocutionist and teacher of dramatic art.

ROYAL ALL THIS WEEK EXCEPT TUESDAY NIGHT



Charles Ray in "Behold My Wife" Geo. M. Cohan's Great Play



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Special Musical Programme

Canadian Pictorial

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SCREEN BRIDE LACKED HUSBAND'S NAME

"The World to Live In" at the Romano For Three Days

Anne Cornwall, the pretty little moving picture actress who will be seen in Alice Brady's latest Select Picture, "The World to Live In," beams the fact that she is married and does not even know her husband's name. He wasn't a very considerate man either, for at the critical moment of the ceremony—when the stammering groom places the band of gold on the finger of the blushing bride—the groom discovered that he had no ring to place on the finger of his bride-to-be-in-ten-minutes. Imagine the mortification of the lovely Anne! She tried to apologize for the "lapse of memory" of her adoring swain, but it was in vain—for a director is immune to apologies. "The groom was a bonhead," said the director, and in her heart Anne admitted it.

This all happened at one of the filmings of "The World to Live In," which Select Pictures presents to-day, Tuesday and Wednesday, at the Romano Theatre. One day at the studio, when Miss Cornwall was peacefully meandering around, waiting for something to happen, the director shouted, "Miss Cornwall on for marriage shot," and Anne Cornwall decided that "it" had happened. It was the first time she had ever been married on the screen or off, and she was totally ignorant of the entire procedure. One thing she did know, though, and that was that the bride ought to know the name of her husband. She did not. He evidently was not prepared for the ceremony either, for when it came time for the ring, the cameraman had to "ring off" until the property man unearthed a gold band.

Larry Semon's new Vitaphone comedy, "The Sportsman," has been

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See

IT'S A CAPTIVATING COMEDY OF THE STAGE, THE COLLEGE CAMPUS & A PAIR OF SHOULDERS THAT SIMPLY WOULDN'T BEHAVE !!!

VIOLA DANA

The CHORUS GIRL'S ROMANCE

Photodramatized from the Saturday Evening Post story "Head and Shoulders" by F. SCOTT FITZGERALD. Scenario by PERCY HEATH. Directed by WILLIAM C. DOWLING and photographed by JOHN ARNOLD

ALSO

Charlie Chaplin Comedy IN TWO PARTS

STARTING
TO-DAY

BEHOLD MY WIFE

FOR ONE
ENTIRE WEEK



The Savage

From
Sir Gilbert Parker's
Famous novel
"The TRANSLATION of A SAVAGE"

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should be—Nothing
better has been
shown at any The-
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Carpentier Will Be Shown in
Silver Screen at
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Georges Carpentier, idol of France,
whose notable record in the boxing
ring has won him fame and fortune
and whose fascinating personality has
made him the idol of two continents,
will be the chief attraction at the
Variety Theatre, in "The Wonder
Man," a Robertson-Cole super-special
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ment unique in the realm of the
cinema art. Unlike the previous ef-
forts of producers to bring champions
of the prize ring before the public on

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role of a smart, well-dressed man
about town.
The fact that his gentlemanly
qualities and his record of valor in
the world war has won the admiration
of all classes makes the advent
of this popular youth into the picture
world as a matinee idol a commend-
able achievement. His popularity in
America is best attested by the un-
precedented amount of favorable
publicity he has received throughout
the country and by the great demand
for his services.

"The Wonder Man" gives the public
its first opportunity to really know
this favorite son of France—in fact,
it gives the first opportunity for his
many admirers to see him. The great
demand to see Carpentier in the box-
ing ring was proved beyond a doubt
by the crowd that flocked to the
studio to see him when a great fight
scene for the picture was staged.
More than 2,000 persons braved the
muddy roads of New Jersey to see him
in his fighting togs for the first time
in America.

Carpentier is supported by a no-
table cast in "The Wonder Man," in-
cluding such prominent screen arti-
sts as Fairs Binney as leading
woman, and Florence Billings.

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SAN CARLO OPERA
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Famous Organization Will Be
Seen at Royal Victoria
Early Next Year

The wild west is not wild enough
to suit the prima donnas and other
grand opera stars who are visiting
it for the first time this year with
the San Carlo Grand Opera Com-
pany. This famous company has
been making a tour through Texas
on its way to California, and will
be heard here soon after the New
Year.

The San Carlo Company has no
complaint to make about its recep-
tion, for in seven performances at the
Texas Cotton Palace in Waco, it
played to the largest opera audiences
on record. In every city it has been
greeted by the most enthusiastic
houses. But these audiences were
quite as fashionable and conven-
tional as those which listened to
the San Carlo repertoire in the Man-
hattan Opera House before the com-
pany left New York. Of course most
of the San Carlo stars have made
the grand tour in other years.
But some new stars have been im-
ported from Europe this season and
to say that they find the wild west
time is to put it mildly. They gained
their ideas of the West from the
movies, and they expect excitement
fast and furious.

Land of Bad Bill Hart
"Some of our temperamental artists
from Spain and Italy," says Mr. Gello,
manager of the sweet singers of San
Carlo, were persuaded to come to
Texas because they wanted to see
land of Bad Bill Hart and other
movie heroes of the two-gun picture
plays. Madame Consuelo Escobar,
the Spanish coloratura soprano, Glis-
sera Inzerillo from Milan, and Vin-
cento Ballesser of the Opera Royal
Madrid—all these stars are new to
America, and all of them believe

they were taking their lives in their
hands when they boarded our special
train in New York and set out for
Texas.

"When these birds—song birds, I
mean to say—reached Waco, Texas,
late at night the town was in the
throes of its Cotton Palace Fair. Of
course there was great din and con-
fusion. Ford cars were climbing up
each other's back all up and down
Main Street, and jazz bands were
making night hideous. I don't doubt
that some of our stars took this wild
music for Indians on the war path.
Every time an auto truck would
back-fire or an inner tube would
burst, most of the prima donnas dived
under their beds.

Glad To Be Alive
"But when morning dawned serene
the San Carbons saw Texas in a
new light, they were glad to be alive,
but were wishing things might be
a little more lively, when they did
meet a cow-puncher on the street,
booted and spurred, wearing a big
sombrero and a colored handkerchief
knotted around his neck, they followed
him for blocks hoping for action.
When he finally reached his pocket,
instead of pulling a gun he pulled
out a quarter and plunked it down
at the movie window to buy ten cents
worth of Tom Mix thrills. And so
another hero "blew up."
"You can see that our stars are
beginning to suspect there is more
excitement crossing Broadway and
42nd street, than you can find in the
State of Texas, so unless something
pops pretty soon, we will have to
stage a little sham battle, or lose
a few temperamental tenors."

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"The Law Divine" and "Eliza
Comes to Stay" Will Be
Presented

When the announcement was first
made by Trans-Canada Theatres,
Ltd., that Mr. H. V. Esmond, the
distinguished English dramatist, and
his wife, Miss Eva Moore, England's
leading comedienne, were coming out
to Canada in "The Law Divine" and
"Eliza Comes to Stay," there were
some who feared that possibly plays
of this particular type would not
prove exactly what Canadian audi-
ences wanted. The experience of
"The Maid of the Mountains," how-
ever, has been duplicated, and the
judgment of those who had faith in
the prospects amply justified.
Both in the Maritime Provinces
and, in Montreal, Mr. Esmond and
his gifted wife have been recipients
of the warmest of welcomes and the
most enthusiastic receptions from
delighted audiences. The leaders of
society in every city and town visited
have entertained them widely, and
the theatres have been filled. The
press comment has been uniformly
eulogistic, and this sort of a play the
direct appeal of which is essentially
an English audience. Proof has
again been given that Canada prefers
the best English plays to anything
else.

The company and the production
Mr. Esmond and Miss Moore brought
with them have proved to be of the
best, from every standpoint. Indeed,
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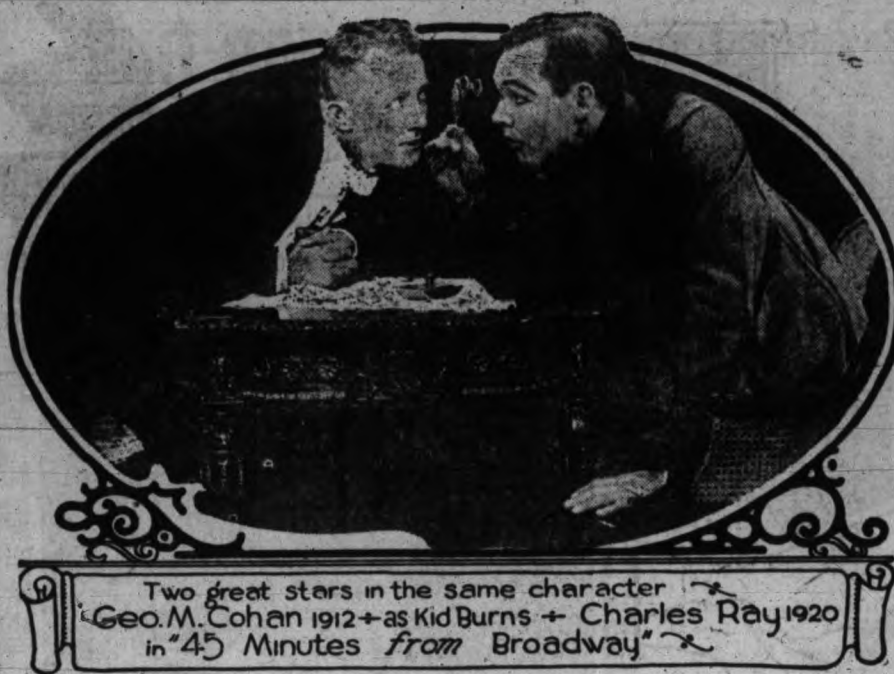
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There is no parallel in the history of the Canadian theatre for the phenomenal business which is being done by the All-British production of "The Maid of the Mountains," which will be seen at the Royal Victoria Theatre in this city shortly. Following its tremendous success in Montreal, the company has packed the Russell theatre in Ottawa, and the Capital has turned out in crowds to see this most delightful of all musical comedies. As in all other cities and towns so far visited, the press has been eulogistic to a degree, and the general consensus of public opinion has been enthusiastically one of keenest approval.

This is due to the general excellence of the cast, the brilliant character of the scenic settings, and the exceptional charm of music and story. With a singer of the rare quality of Miss Viva Daron, comedians of the standing of Fred Wright, Edward d'Arcy, and Bert Byrne, and artists of the general all-round capacity of Paul Plunkett, Flora Le Breton, Jack Darnall, Thelma Mills, supported by a cast which understands how to maintain a perfect picture, the romantic story of Teresa, the Mountain Maid, finds such an interpretation as leaves little if anything to be desired.

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SCOTTISH CONCERT FOR PATRON SAINT

St. Andrew's Day Will Be Kept by Local Scotsmen To-morrow

A pleasant evening entertainment has been arranged by the St. Andrew's Caledonian Society of Victoria, for the celebration of St. Andrew's night, to-morrow. The social event will be held at the Caledonia Hall, and will take the form of a purely Scottish concert and dance.

The evening will be opened at 7.30 with a concert, and the executive is to be congratulated on having procured the services of the fine talent on the programme. Mrs. R. H. Pooley, who is continually delighting Victoria audiences, has readily consented to take care of at least two numbers on the evening's programme, and her admirers will have an opportunity of hearing her in rendering of Scottish songs. Robert Morrison, who needs no introduction to Victorians, and whose fine tenor voice seems particularly suited to the singing of the "Auld Scotch Songs" is on the programme. Mrs. McNeil is another well-known singer of Scottish songs, while Miss Hamilton and J. Petrie, of the First Presbyterian Church, choir, will be heard in a duet. Miss Jean Dobbie, Miss Isa Taylor and Mr. Potter are on the list, and also Miss J. Wallace, a young lady with an exceptionally fine voice. The "Two Dobbies," without whom no Scottish concert would be complete, will be heard in their usual spirited rendering of Scottish songs, and Dan Wallace will be the accompanist at the piano for the singers.

A pleasing feature of the evening will be the exhibit of Highland dancing by Miss Sarah McIntyre, a young lady who is the proud possessor of a large number of medals which she has had awarded her in many competitions held in Victoria and on the mainland. She will be accompanied by Miss Agnes Wallace, Victoria's well-known lady piper, who has carried all before her in piping competitions, and is the holder of the championship of the Pacific Coast. An exhibit of Indian Club swinging will be given during the evening by T. Gibson.

For the dancing, which is timed to start at 10 p. m., Wallace's orchestra will provide the music, and will be assisted in several of the Highland and Scottish reels by Miss Wallace. The exhibit of Indian Club swinging will be given during the evening by the executive of St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society, while the refresh-

ments will be in the capable hands of the ladies of the Auxiliary. Tickets can be obtained from any member of the society or by telephoning the Caledonia Hall. Tickets can also be obtained at the hall on the evening of the entertainment.

"EXPERIENCE" ATTAINED CLERGY'S ENDORSEMENT

It is a singular fact that clergymen seldom, if ever, endorse a play without reservation; yet in the case of the morality play, "Experience," written by George V. Hobart, which comes to the Royal Victoria Theatre shortly, they have fairly broken all records for enthusiastic commendation. One reason why the clergy has been so warm in its approval of "Experience" is to be found in the fact that the play carries a lesson. Primarily it is a play for purposes of entertainment only, but as it tells the story of Youth going into the world and his triumph over the maze of temptations which usually beset Youth on every hand, it has been pronounced by the clergy a wonderful help to all young men. The play ran nine months in New York, five months in Boston and seven months in Chicago. It comes here under the direction of Messrs. Comstock & Gies. There are ten scenes in the play, and it is presented by a company of forty people.

F. A. PAULINE IS HEARD AT TOD INLET

Giving Telling Quotation From Authority on Iron Industry

In the lunch hour at the Tod Inlet Cement Works on Saturday, F. A. Pauline, the Liberal candidate for Saanich, addressed the employees of this important industry. In the brief time at his disposal Mr. Pauline reviewed the main issues of the campaign and dealt particularly with the need of further industrial development in order to cope with the unemployment situation. A permanence of employment could only be brought about by a systematic use of the natural resources of the Province, he said.

He quoted J. W. Evans, member of the Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy, in the November issue of the Monthly Bulletin (1920) who says:

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Collegiate Troop and Pack—Scoutmaster (acting) and Cubmaster, R. E. Honour; headquarters, Collegiate School, 1400 Douglas Avenue.
James Bay Troop and Pack—Scoutmaster, Edward Humphreys; headquarters, corner Simcoe and Douglas Street. Troop meets every Thursday at 7.30 p.m.; pack every Friday at 7 p.m. Cubmaster, C. J. Price.
St. Aidan's Troop and Pack—

containing not more than 34 per cent. iron, and the average of all the iron ores mined and smelted in England is under 35 per cent. metallic iron. Why should we, with iron ore containing on an average of 50 per cent metallic iron let it lie dormant year after year and import 96 per cent. of all the iron ore smelted in Canada?

"In these days of high prices and high freight rates our economic need is to make ourselves more independent of eastern markets," said the candidate. "This can be done by using our great iron resources." Mr. Pauline said. "If we cannot bring this basic industry into existence by individual effort then the Liberal Party has decided that it will take the time for action, we will take the necessary governmental action to build the first unit of an iron and steel works in British Columbia."

Mr. Pauline was heartily applauded at the conclusion of his address.

Scoutmaster, P. H. Hughes; headquarters, St. Aidan's School, Saratoga Avenue.

Maclean Troop and Pack—Scoutmaster, F. A. Trowdale and A. MacArthur. Troop meets every Friday at 7.30 p.m.; headquarters, 631 Esquimalt Road.
Oak Bay Troop and Pack—Headquarters, St. Columba Church, Oak Bay. Scoutmaster, Seymour de P. Greene; wireless instructor, W. A. Greene, R.A.F.; ambulance instructor, Dr. Badley, R.A.M.C.; cubmaster, R. Munro Greene. Meets every Friday at 7 p.m. and Saturday at 2 p.m.; pack meets every Friday at 7.15 p.m., Mr. Hallam, instructor, formerly drum major. Every second Friday the scouts will meet for a social time after the usual Scout work. Three football teams are now formed, one basketball team, and preparations are now under way for a baseball and cricket team for next Summer.

Gonzales Pack—Meets every Thursday at 8.30 p.m. A.S.M., R. M. Greene. Headquarters same as Oak Bay Pack. Meets every Saturday at 2 p.m.
Fairfield Troop and Pack—Scoutmaster, G. Frampton; A.S.M., C. S. Frampton. Troop meets every Thursday at 7.30 p.m. Pack every Thursday at 5.30 p.m.
First Presbyterian Pack—Cubmaster, H. deCartaret. Meets every Thursday at 7 p.m.
Hillside Troop and Pack—Headquarters, Centennial Church, Gorge Road; Scoutmaster, A. Brown; A.S.M., F. W. Ansett. Meets every Friday at 7 p.m. Congratulations are in order to Mr. Ansett upon his marriage. Last Thursday in the Cathedral the Troop and Pack in full strength attended the wedding with Mr. Brown, their Scoutmaster. The acting commissioner, Rev. the Hon. T. R. Henega, the organizing secretary of the Victoria Boy Scouts Association, and a number of the

scoutmasters, also attended in order to wish the happy couple the greatest happiness.
St. Michael's School Troop—Scoutmaster, Drennan Hincks. Meets at St. Michael's School, Saratoga Avenue, Oak Bay.
St. John's Troop and Pack—Meets every Tuesday at 7.30 p.m. Next Tuesday a social will be given the boys, similar to last Tuesday, when twenty boys turned out. Rev. the Hon. T. R. Henega attended and gave an interesting address to the boys upon the Jamporee. Volunteers are needed to help in the formation and work of this troop and pack.
Craigflower School—It is hoped that at the beginning of the New Year a pack can be formed here. Will anyone interested in the formation of this pack kindly report to the principal?

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CROWDS HEARD BOWSER SPEAK TWICE SATURDAY

Opposition Leader Addressed
Packed Meetings; Candidates Speak

Nearly 2,500 Victorians heard speeches delivered by W. J. Bowser, K. C., Leader of the Opposition, at packed meetings in the Royal Victoria Theatre and the Empress Hotel Saturday night. Mr. Bowser was heard at both gatherings with close attention, and considerable applause. He was subjected to little heckling and was forced to answer only one question, though on one or two occasions queries he put to his audience were answered in a manner rather disconcerting to him.

Mr. Bowser had no new announcements to make in either of his speeches. In both he confined himself to his previous attacks upon the Oliver Government, praises of his own administration, promises of better things if he were elected and prophecies of a complete Opposition victory on Wednesday.

The reception accorded the local Opposition candidates was not so satisfactory from their point of view, as that given their leader. As soon as Mr. Bowser had finished his theatre address more than half the audience left the building and when the last of the candidates rose to speak he faced but a few hundred tired hearers. At the hotel, too, M. R. Gordon, Opposition candidate in

Saanich, was received far from favorably.

The Theatre Meeting.
The Royal Victoria Theatre was packed to its capacity of some 1,500 people half an hour before Mr. Bowser arrived. In addition, nearly two hundred people crowded upon the stage and hundreds were turned away.

Major Macdonald, who occupied the chair, opened the meeting with the assertion that the men who opposed conscription in 1917 were the leaders of the Government forces in British Columbia to-day.

Prolonged applause greeted Mr. Bowser as he rose to speak and some of his most enthusiastic supporters sang "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow." This vocal attempt, however, did not proceed very far.

"Camouflage of My Personality"
Mr. Bowser charged in commencement that the Government's tactics in the present campaign consisted simply of a personal attack upon himself, an attack such as he had undergone, without defeat however, ever since he had been in public life. The Government was drawing a red herring across the trail in order to drag in "this camouflage of my personality" and make the people forget the usefulness of the Conservatives and the misdeeds of the Liberals.

"We have not defeated this government, it has defeated itself—a year ago," Mr. Bowser declared. The people have been patiently waiting for an election. The Liberals have only one text everywhere "Bowser! Bowser!"

"Who ruined the credit of this Province?" Mr. Bowser demanded. "Bowser! Bowser! Bowser!" was the rather staggering answer which came from several parts of the theatre.

"John Hart," shouted someone, at which applause broke out.

"The Government came into office and had to pay seven and one-half per cent interest for their money," Mr. Bowser went on when the excitement subsided. "When we had got it at 5.2 per cent. Was that my fault? We left the country in a splendid condition."

"Oh! Oh," came derisively from the theatre.

Confident of Victory.

"They never got down to 5.2 per cent and won't, because they won't issue another loan after next Wednesday! When the exchange is considered it is costing the Province between one and ten per cent for its American loans and they say they have succeeded in establishing the credit of the Province! They should have done as the C. N. R. did—issue their bonds on a long term and so allow the exchange to right itself."

Mr. Bowser recalled that the Oliver Government had borrowed \$27,000,000 in four years as compared with the \$12,500,000 borrowed by the Conservative Government in thirteen years.

"I want to know where that money has gone!" he exclaimed.

Oil Development

Mr. Bowser feared that in spite of the League of Nations, trouble was brewing between the United States and Japan in case of an outbreak between these two nations, the Anglo-Saxon must "line himself up with the Anglo-Saxon and not the brown man." The Oliver Government, not broad enough to appreciate the Imperial significance of the question had refused to allow a British syndicate to develop Peace River Oil lands and so secure fuel for British battleships which might have to operate in the Pacific.

The Secretary of State had urged assistance of the syndicate whose operations might be of vital concern to the whole Empire. Instead the Government had sent an old professor, on his summer vacation, to investigate the existence of oil in the Peace River—two months he had fought mosquitoes and had done his best to leave the country in the third.

"Because the Government has put a reserve on the oil lands, this great asset cannot be developed—and their failure to appreciate the Imperial question may affect the whole future of the Imperial nation on the Pacific," he said.

Mr. Bowser reviewed the activities of the McBride Government in developing the pulp industry. The present mills would be duplicated and Sir Richard's policy would be his policy if he were elected, he promised.

Liquor Question
Turning to the liquor question Mr. Bowser said: "The people have not declared so much for a wide open, wet Province as a decent Province. We have come to the conclusion that the public men must abide by the majority. It was to be expected that the Government would have had a policy ready for either way the vote went. This election could have been held on the day of the plebiscite. When I went to the country in 1916 I put two plebiscites to the people—'Prohibition and women's suffrage.' This too, was done in Ontario. There is no justification for Mr. Oliver in holding two votes unless he wants to take a political advantage, he who is such an advocate of economy. Mr. Oliver says the liquor question will be decided by the Legislature. You would think he was talking to school children because everyone knows that no one but a member of the Government

can introduce a Moderation Act or any bill costing the Province a cent. It's simply deception to get by in this election.

Real Moderation Bill

"The Government has a bill printed and in the Attorney General's Department right now but they are afraid to bring it out in this campaign because the people might not like some parts of it! They are asking you to give them a blank cheque to send back their candidates to the Legislature and let them decide on a Moderation Bill. If the people are not satisfied they can do nothing until another election, perhaps in five years."

"Any Act my government would introduce would appeal to the people and won't lean necessarily to the extreme wet side or unnecessarily to extreme dry side. Under our act the people will know that they are getting the best liquor possible at a reasonable price, the middle men's profits being eliminated. It won't be a political bill."

The bill must be strictly enforced. If the bill is not enforced the prohibitionists and independent people will get together and the pendulum will swing back—sure as fate—and B. C. will go bone dry. You must choose between Mr. Farris and his administration as shown by his enforcement of the Prohibition Act and me—whether you like my politics or not."

"Death Bed Repentance"

"But they have done a lot of things in the last two weeks! Wherever you go in the Province these death bed repentances stare you in the face. Two hundred men have been put to work on the Reserve in the last few days—the election is on Wednesday they will quit work Tuesday night, and as the Government will go out of office on Wednesday they will have to look to a new government for work on Thursday. They are building roads, too, 700 feet above the sea where they had to start by shovelling away four feet of snow! And there are men walking in mud canals in gum boots building roads at the north of the Island. And the University, too! And I am informed that Mr. Pattullo has promised to build a tubercular hospital on the Upper Skeena where there are 60 inches of rain a year!"

Mr. Bowser declared that Mr. Farris had promised Vancouver \$250,000 as municipal relief. Mr. Sloan had promised Nanaimo assistance while Mr. Oliver had turned down cold the requests of the municipalities and had promised them nothing. "They shouldn't get their wires crossed," he said amid laughter.

Laughter was provoked by Mr. Bowser's reference to Mr. Hart's proposed provincial bank—a proposal which Mr. Bowser called academic nonsense. "Cheap clap trap to fool the people" and "another death bed repentance," The Province should not compete with the banks but should endeavor to secure outside capital to develop its resources, he said. If such development was to be insured the Province should be kept clear of "freak legislation" such as that passed by the Oliver Government—legislation which interfered with investors' vested rights.

A Late Repentance

Mr. Bowser admitted that he had voted against women suffrage in 1909 but said he had changed his view of the matter after seeing the women's work in the War. The Oliver Government had not given the women the vote, he asserted, but his government had allowed the men of the Province to decide the issue.

Mr. Bowser assailed the high cost of the Civil Service though he felt that some members of the Service were underpaid. He proposed to cut down these costs by throwing out ten men, brought in by the Government, for every one retained. At present government officials were falling over themselves without work to do. They must be cared for by the present Government, of course, because they belonged to the "Old Brigade."

In conclusion, Mr. Bowser uttered unstinted praise for the opposition candidates in all constituencies and promised, if elected, to form a cabinet of the best class of men—men representative of all walks of life. This Cabinet would develop the Province and work in harmony with Ottawa. He warned the electors against voting for independent candidates for fear that no government would have a working majority and that the Province's growth would be retarded by some five or ten years. Finally, he predicted an Opposition victory, the election of four Opposition candidates in Victoria and, as a result, arrival of a "new era of prosperity."

Canon Hinchcliffe, W. W. Northcott, R. Ross Sutherland and Alexander Stewart, Opposition candidates in Victoria, spoke briefly as did J. J. Shallcross.

Land Settlement a Failure.

Speaking later at the Empress Hotel to nearly 700 persons, Mr. Bowser declared that the Government never had a policy for re-establishing returned men with families, but when they were forced by returned men to adopt one it was hastily drawn, ill-conceived and impractical. Maxwell Smith, first man to administer the land settlement scheme, was a failure and had to be removed, and Mr. Nelems was put in, but he had to be removed after protests from other members of the commission, Mr. Bowser asserted.

"After the Government shifted around for a while, Col. Davies, who

I believe to be impractical too, was appointed," Mr. Bowser went on.

Parker Williams Deal.

"What do the returned soldiers think of this? Merville is seething with discontent. They are there now suffering the rigors of the Winter, with inadequate shelter, all hoping that another better day will come. To them December 1 is regarded as their emancipation day when they will strike for a new Government and a square deal."

H. W. B. Moore said there had been a "deal" with Parker Williams so that Socialists would not oppose the Government in 1916 in return for which Mr. Williams got a \$5,000 job on the Workmen's Compensation Board. He said that if the Government account books were looked into there would be all sorts of graft and corruption found. He also asserted that the Government has been guilty of practicing patronage by appointing twenty-seven Liberals to high-salaried jobs.

When Marshall P. Gordon, Conservative candidate in Saanich, was speaking, and making charges against the Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, Mr. Bowser entered after finishing his two-hour speech at the Royal Victoria Theatre. Mr. Gordon, however, continued assailing Hon. Mr. Hart for some time longer.

Thought It All Applause.

The audience, which had waited until after 10 o'clock to hear Mr. Bowser, began to stamp after each sentence or two that Mr. Gordon delivered. Mr. Gordon took this for applause and began to warm up to his subject and lengthen out his remarks.

Finally, J. O. Dunford, who presided, arose and made the request that Mr. Gordon take his seat as the audience was getting impatient.

Wood Firm Gets Insurance?
In the speech that he did not finish, Mr. Gordon asserted that Gillespie, Hart & Todd had carried Government insurance until 1918, a short time after Hon. Mr. Hart was made Minister of Finance. He declared that Mr. Bowser made it so warm for him he had to drop the insurance.

"I have just been informed that the same firm still holds insurance on the Parliament Buildings, but the insurance of going to the insurance firm, goes across the street to the coal and wood firm of Gillespie & McKay," Mr. Gordon said.

Mr. Bowser did not finish speaking until 11:30 o'clock.

HORSE RADISH.

Young Lady (on first visit to Western ranch)—"For what purpose do you use that coll of line on your saddle?"

Cowpuncher—"That line, you call it, lady, we use for catching cattle and horses."

Young Lady—"Oh, indeed, Now, may I ask, what do you use for bait?"—Los Angeles Times.

ALL SHE HAD LEFT.

"I presume you carry a memento of some kind in that pocket you wear?" the inquisitive wife of a clergyman asked the parishioner.

"Yes, it's a lock of my husband's hair."

"But your husband is still alive!" the lady exclaimed in considerable surprise.

"Yes, that is true, but his hair is gone."—Houston Post.

RED CROSS FUND RECEIVES MANY NEW SUBSCRIPTIONS

It is no exaggeration to say that millions of people in Eastern and Central Europe are dying of starvation and typhus fever. This is the report of Henry P. Davidson, the president of the Red Cross Society of the world, and he warns the people of this continent that this plague may creep across to these shores, and that it is necessary for everyone to come to the aid of the stricken people.

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DIPLOMACY.

Chairman (of public banquet)—"Gentlemen, before I introduce the next speaker, there will be a short recess, giving you all a chance to go out and stretch your legs."

Guest—"Who is the next speaker?"
Chairman—"Before telling you, who he is, I would rather wait until you come back."—Lafa.

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PRIVATE LETTERS INCRIMINATE

Private correspondence, to the Bowser Government from Eastern financial houses handling its bonds has been discovered in the vaults of the Parliament Buildings.

In the correspondence, which was private, the finance department of this Province was warned of the serious view which financiers of this continent were taking of the plight into which British Columbia was drifting.

This is some of the private correspondence, which has been discovered in the vaults, although the Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, announces that documents even more incriminating were improperly removed and destroyed before Bowser ministers left office:

From Macneill & Young,
Government, Municipal & Corporation Bonds,
Traders Bank Building,
Toronto, November 26, 1915.

W. J. Goepel, Esq.,
Deputy Minister of Finance,
Victoria, B. C.

Re Province of B. C. Debentures:

We have found it necessary to have a considerable portion of the bonds underwritten by financial friends of ours through the States of Indiana and Ohio. The New York market demand for this particular issue has not been encouraging and for that reason we have been compelled to go somewhat further afield, so to speak. In eliciting the support of the financial interests in the above-mentioned States, we have found it necessary to provide for the payment of heavy underwriting commissions, and this has resulted in our being forced to work on such a narrow margin that the negotiations have been greatly impaired.

Also from Macneill & Young, Toronto, December 7, 1915, to Deputy Minister of Finance:

With regard to the prospectuses, we are sending you under separate cover twelve prospectuses of the issue. You will observe that the issue price was 90%, but we found it necessary to provide for exceptionally heavy underwriting. In fact, on going to our friends in the United States on this deal, they expressed very decided feeling against the Province and would not handle the debentures in an underwriting way unless they were protected in the matter of underwriting, for several points.

We quote a letter from one of our friends as follows:

We are glad to learn that the Province of British Columbia debentures have been sold, although frankly, we could not bring ourselves to feel that the financial affairs of this Province were being conservatively handled. We understand that an Order-in-Council has been passed creating a fund of \$12,000,000 to be used for rural credits under the authority of some commission. This seems to be a very dangerous precedent. Besides that the Province has a very large amount of railroad guarantees and we understand that conditions in British Columbia at the present time are very depressed and bad.

The above will give you a general idea of what we had to contend with in our efforts to have the issue underwritten, but we are glad to be able to advise you that after strenuous efforts we succeeded in bringing the deal to a successful culmination.

SAANICH FARMERS' LOT'S WIFE COMPARED
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Annual Meeting of North and South Saanich Agricultural Society

At the annual meeting of the North and South Agricultural Society, held in the Agricultural Hall, Saanichton, on Thursday, November 25, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Hon. patrons—Member-elect for Islands and North Saanich district; member-elect for Saanich district; Reeve Saanich Municipality: Hon. Dr. S. F. Tolmie, M.P.; Mr. Justice Eberts, Professor L. Stevenson, K. R. Streetfield and J. C. McIntosh, M. P.

President, H. E. Tanner; 1st vice-president, E. Raper; 2nd vice-president, Alex. McDonald; secretary-treasurer, Colin A. Chisholm; auditors, J. M. Hedley and Walter Thomson. Directors, R. Bryden, E. Blackburn, R. Crawford, P. D. Hillis, A. Jeune, Geo. Malcolm, W. D. Mitchell, J. G. McKay, E. R. Starling, George Stewart, F. Turgoose, A. Wright, Mrs. W. J. Barker, Miss Jeanne, Mrs. J. T. Harrison and Mrs. F. Verdier.

It is of interest to note that Mr. Turgoose, has been an officer of the society continuously for thirty-one years, constituting a record. He has at various times filled the office of vice-president, secretary-treasurer and director with distinction and is still a valuable member of the directorate, his long experience being a tremendous asset to the society.

On November 21 at the Presbyterian Church, Courtenay, Rev. James Hyde, who is shortly leaving for the Mainland, criticized social conditions in that town. Taking his text from the story of the sold cities of Sodom and Gomorrah, he stated, according to the Comox Argus report:—

"Let me be no doubt an outstanding figure in the community life of Sodom, but unfortunately his wife was of the butterfly variety, who cared more for the frivolities of life than the more serious things. His daughters had married men who no doubt spent their nights in gambling halls and similar amusements."

Mr. Hyde went on to contrast the wives of to-day with Lot's wife, and stated that there were many Sodom and Gomorrah in the land to-day upon which God's judgment would certainly fall were it not for a few of his saints.

Applying his text to local matters, Mr. Hyde said that there existed in Courtenay gambling halls of the worst kind and stated that it was up to the mothers to see that the place was cleaned up and this evil put out of reach of their children. He also said that he had received reliable information that the dances held were of the most lascivious character and little better than common brothels, and that whoever followed him in this pastorate, if he did his duty, would have his hands full in endeavoring to clean up the town.

He urged his hearers to forget party politics in the forthcoming elections and to vote for the man, and also in municipal affairs to see that a council was elected, the personnel of which were men of character.

The WEATHER
Daily Bulletin Published by the Victoria Meteorological Department

Victoria, Nov. 29.—5 a.m.—The barometer remains low over Northern B. C. and unsettled, mild weather continues on the Pacific Slope, while eastward to the prairies fair, mild weather is general.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.01; temperature, maximum yesterday, 45; minimum, 43; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.06; temperature, maximum yesterday, 50; minimum, 46; wind, 6 miles E.; rain, .30; weather, raining.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.04; temperature, maximum yesterday, 46; minimum, 40; wind, 4 miles E.; weather, fair.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.72; temperature, maximum yesterday, 42; minimum, 40; wind, 4 miles E.; rain, .60; weather, raining.

Talbot—Barometer, 29.58; temperature, minimum yesterday, 48; wind, 21 miles S. E.; rain, .61; weather, raining.

Edmonton—Barometer, maximum yesterday, 38; minimum, 20; snow, 2 in.

Winnipeg—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 34; minimum, 24; snow, 4 in.

Temperature.

| | Max. | Min. |
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| Barkerville | 58 | 36 |
| Portland, Ore. | 54 | 34 |
| Seattle | 52 | 44 |
| San Francisco | 55 | 50 |
| Vancouver | 45 | 40 |
| Nelson | 46 | 36 |
| Cranbrook | 37 | 27 |
| Calgary | 46 | 31 |
| Qu'Appelle | 28 | 20 |
| Toronto | 36 | 28 |
| Ottawa | 32 | 22 |
| Montreal | 28 | 22 |
| Halifax | 36 | 28 |

More than 40,000 cattle have accumulated at Kansas City as a result of the credit situation and shipments are warned to stop shipments.

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39-Inch Fine Chiffon Velvet with rich, lustrous pile; just the thing for afternoon and evening dresses. Per yard **\$12.00**

18-Inch Millinery Velvet in forty good colors; a good, firm fabric with silk pile. Per yard **\$2.00**

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Father Christmas will be in Santaland To-morrow Afternoon at 3 o'clock